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## GONE TO GRASSE.

**Queen Victoria on Her Way to the South of France.**

LETITIA BONAPARTE, WIDOW OF HER UNCLE, ACCEPTS COUSIN ROLAND.

**Plon-Plon's Pile and How It Is Divided by His Will—The Pope Refuses to Receive Prince Victor—Socialists in Germany Favor the Election of Bismarck—The France-Russia Alliance.**

LONDON, March 23.—Queen Victoria left Windsor this morning en route to Grasse, a small town in the department of the Alpes-Maritimes, France, twenty-five miles west of Nice. The Queen goes to the South of France via Cherbourg, and not via Calais and Paris, as was announced shortly after the arrival in this country of the Empress Frederick, returned from her interesting and eventful visit to Paris.

At Grasse, the Grand Hotel has been rented and placed in order for the accommodation of Victoria. The hotel is pleasantly situated in a position overlooking the old town of Grasse, which is built on a slope of a mountain rising to a height of about 1,100 feet above the level of the sea, and is ten miles inland, directly north of Cannes. A delightful, extensive view is obtained from the Grand Hotel, close to which is the elegant villa "Victoria" belonging to the Baroness Alice de Rothschild. Had the Villa Victoria been a little larger it would have been placed at the disposal of Queen Victoria.

The Princess Louise and the Marquis of Lorne visited the Baroness Alice de Rothschild at the Villa Victoria last season and they gave the Queen such a glowing account of the benefits they had derived from the air of Grasse that the Queen decided to try it herself.

The Municipal Council of Grasse has made every possible preparation to make her stay at the Grand Hotel as pleasant as possible. An extra force of police has been detailed to guard the Queen's residence, and the streets and roads in and about Grasse have been swept and repaired until they are quite passable.

It is understood she will travel by special train from Cherbourg to Cannes, and thence by the branch line to Grasse. It is announced that the Princess Beatrice and Prince Henry of Battenburg are expected to share the enjoyments of the Queen's stay at Grasse.

THE FISHERIES DISPUTE.

The fisheries dispute is becoming a prominent matter in British politics and may yet cause the ministry some serious trouble. Newfoundland will find its appeals for delay, if properly urged, backed up strongly in Parliament. Many of the members look with profound distrust on the attempt to overrule colonial opinion for the sake of pleasing France. Conservatives and Liberals alike disapprove of Lord Knutson's sudden method of applying coercion.

NAPHTHA IS DOWN.

The *Chronicle's* St. Petersburg correspondent says that the price of naphtha has fallen 80 per cent owing to the tapping of a stream at Baku yielding 50,000 tons daily.

SLAVERY ABOLISHED AT WITU.

A dispatch from Zanzibar says that the conclusion of a treaty with the prominent chiefs by which the latter agree to abolish slavery at Witu is officially announced.

The present owners of slaves are allowed five years' grace in which to liberate or in some other way dispose of the forced services of the men they now employ.

BARON ROTHSCHILD'S OFFER.

Baron Rothschild has removed all doubt as to the success of the scheme to make Manchester a port of entry. He has assured the directors of the canal being constructed from Liverpool to Manchester that if the Manchester city corporation should fail to carry out its promise to supply the needed £1,700,000 he will himself supply the necessary amount to complete the work.

A ROYAL SCANDAL.

Deep indignation is expressed among all classes of Englishmen in regard tothe reports current as to the treatment of the Grand Duchess Elizabeth, granddaughter of the Queen Victoria, by her husband, Grand Duke Sergius, of Russia, brother of the Czar. It is now well understood that the Czar's motive for appointing his brother Governor of Moscow was not, as officially stated, to give him a mark of esteem, but to remove the Grand Duchess from the foreign society of St. Petersburg, where her maltreatment by the Russian imperial family has already caused a scandal.

SALISBURY AFTER RECIPROCITY.

Lord Salisbury has written a letter to the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce, in which the Premier says that he is well aware of the importance of the reciprocity treaty between the United States and Brazil. Lord Salisbury adds that four years ago the Government failed to obtain the Brazilian assent to the "most favored nation" treatment for British merchandise. The British Goverment's efforts in this direction would not be renewed.

DON'T WANT TO KNOW IT.

Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Queen's Bench Division, has dismissed the appeal of counsel representing Sir Wm. Gordon Cumming in the so-called "Baccarat scandal," asking that the defendants in the action for damages brought by Sir Wm. Gordon Cumming be ordered to state the particular manner in which the Baronet is alleged to have cheated at cards.

POLITICS AT BERLIN.

THE SOCIALISTS INDORSE BISMARCK—THE ALLIANCE BETWEEN FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

BERLIN, March 23.—There will be no serious opposition to the election of Prince Bismarck to the Reichstag from Gestemunde. A Hamburg correspondent says that even the Socialists favor the election of Bismarck, on the ground that, as they are antagonized by both him and the Kaiser, their party will be benefited by having the two arrayed each against the other. At first the National Liberal Committee tried to oppose his nomination, and is said to have been prompted in this course by powerful influences from the palace; but the overwhelming sentiment of the party compelled the committee to retire and select their choice.

LEADER OF THE CENTER.

At a meeting of prominent men of the Center party, in Berlin, on Sunday, Count Ballestrem was mentioned as the probable choice of the party for leadership. It was decided, however, to await the return from Rome of Archbishop Kopp, who has gone to consult with the Pope. Count Ballestrem's selection is probable, but it is believed that he will be only the nominal chief of the party, and that he will leave hard work to younger and active men.

BALMACEDA PROTESTS.

A protest has been received in Berlin from agents of the Chilian insurgents against permitting the departure to Chili of vessels bought by Balmaceda for warlike purposes.

THE FRANCE-RUSSIA ALLIANCE.

No news whatever has been received from Berlin of the conclusions of an alliance between Russia and France, and nothing beyond rumor appears to be known of the matter there. A Paris dispatch says that the officials there are reticent, but the impression is that a formal understanding was concluded some months ago, and France has been bringing strong pressure to make the agreement one of formal alliance. Paris advices state that the personal report carried to the Czar by Count Schouvaloff, Russian Ambassador at Berlin, and now on vacation in Russia, greatly strengthened the cause of France and that the Count impressed the Czar with the belief that Germany was now without a military head and that the time was favorable for striking a blow at the country. A formal treaty of alliance with France, if not concluded, is, therefore, not improbable. The Czar's rescript to the Finns, in which he renews the pledge of his predecessors to the support of their constitution, is also thought significant. The Czar withheld this pledge for ten years, granting it on the tenth anniversary of his accession, and it is supposed he wished to assure himself, in the event of war, of the loyalty of the Finns, much shaken by recent encroachments on their rights.

WILLIAM I. ACCORDING TO WILLIAM II.

BRUSSELS, March 23.—It is announced that the biography of Emperor William I., written by the present German Emperor, will be printed shortly.

There will be only 200 copies and they will be distributed only among sovereigns and members of royal families.

THE GUELPH FUND.

IT IS TO BE GIVEN TO THE HANOVERIAN HOUSE IF PRUSSIA CONSENTS.

LONDON, March 23.—A Berlin dispatch says that the Boetticher scandal has revived the question of the disposition of the Guelph fund, which the Kaiser some time ago proposed to return to the house of Hanover, that house, on its part, relinquishing all claim to the Hanoverian crown. It is said that Queen Victoria and the Kaiser talked this matter over at their meeting last summer, and that the question was settled, so far as the Kaiser could settle it. The scheme, however, has not been submitted to the Prussian Parliament, for the disposition of the money is a question affecting Prussia alone.

The Guelph fund, or otherwise the secret service fund, is in the control of the Emperor now. No account is given of how it is expended and no one knows what became of it. During the reign of the late William I. Bismarck as Chancellor had control of it and used it to further his aims and those of his master. Efforts have been made in the Reichstag to have him make an account of what was done with the fund, but the Chancellor always sat down on it, and no one had the courage to fight him, as it was always understood that the Emperor was back of him in keeping the fund books secret. The recent Beotticher outbreak was the outcome of Bismarck charging Von Boetticher with ingratitude. Van Botticher had a bad son-in-law who got in an embezzling scrape. Van Boetticher got in debt to the extent of 300,000 marks trying to settle it so as to keep the matter quiet. He told Bismarck of his dilemma at the time and the Chancellor loaned him the amount out of the Guelph Fund, never telling him, though, at the time where it came from. Von Boetticker says that he thought the cash came from the Emperor himself and therefore felt under no obligations to the Chancellor. He became involved in the plot to overthrow Bismarck, and received the decoration of the Black Eagle for his efforts. His connection with the Chancellor's downfall was not known until recently, and when the latter heard of it he told the above facts.

CAPT. McKEAGUE EXONERATED.

HE MAKES A STATEMENT CONCERNING THE TERRIBLE DISASTER AT GIBRALTAR.

GIBRALTAR, March 23.—One hundred bodies of the Utopia victims were found yesterday. The inquest over the second collection of bodies resulted in the exhoneration of Capt. McKeague from all blame. Capt. McKeague made the following statement to the jury:

"After rounding for Europa Point I headed for the usual anchorage and ordered half speed. Two minutes later I ordered 'slow,' and I stopped the engines between Europa Point and the New Mole Head. I then suddenly sighted the man-of-war Curlew and observed the anchorage crowded with other ships. I immediately starboarded the helm, there being a heavy sea and an extremely strong tide. When the Utopia had half cleared the bows of the Anson, I ported the helm in order to bring the Utopia's stern out, but on account of the strong current the Utopia was unable to clear the Anson's ram. Owing to the thickness of the weather I could not calculate precisely the length of the Anson's fore deck and ignored the ram. I did not know the fleet was in the bay. The proper look-out, consisting of the mate and six men, was kept, but nobody saw the Curlew or the condition of the anchorage until the helm was starboarded. We were unable to anchor behind the rock because we were running short of coal in consequence of heavy weather on the voyage."

NEWFOUNDLAND PROTESTS.

THE BRITISH MODUS VIVENDI DOES NOT MEET WITH THEIR APPROVAL.

ST. JOHNS, Newfoundland, March 23.—Saturday meetings were held here at Havre de Grace and Bonaventure to protest against the coercive legislation that has been introduced in the Imperial Parliament for the enforcement of Great Britain's latest modus vivendi. The speakers generally, while being moderate in their choice of words, firmly declared that the colony would not stand coercion. It was openly stated that if the modus vivendi goes into operation and its enforcement is attempted by either France or England it would lead to open rebellion. Each meeting passed resolutions supporting the action taken by the colonial assemblies.

TAKES A COUSIN NOW.

LETITIA BONAPARTE, WIDOW OF HER UNCLE, BETROTHED TO PRINCE ROLAND.

PARIS, March 23.—The *Gaulois* to-day announces the betrothal of Prince Roland Bonaparte to Princess Letitia, only daughter of Prince Napoleon, who died in Rome a few days ago, and says that the marriage will take place immediately upon the expiration of the period of mourning for Prince Napoleon. Prince Napoleon, the *Gaulois* says, gave his consent to the betrothal a short time prior to his death. Princess Letitia is about 26 years old. She was married on Sept. 11, 1888, to her uncle, Prince Amadeo, Duke of Aosta, who was formerly King of Spain, who died on Jan. 18, 1890.

PLON-PLON'S PILE.

ROME, March 23.—The fortune of the late Prince Napoleon amounting to £12,000 yearly is divided among his children, £6,000 going to Prince Louis and £3,000 each to Prince Victor and Princess Letitia. It is stated that all the manuscripts and historical documents are left to Prince Louis.

NO MANIFESTO FROM ITALY.

King Humbert has forbidden Prince Victor to issue a manifesto from Italy. The Pope has received several earnest requests through Cardinal Bonaparte to grant an audience to Prince Victor, but has refused to do so on the ground that it would be against the friendship of France to receive an active pretender to the French throne.

The late Prince Napoleon's suite of rooms in the Turin palace have been assigned to his son, Prince Victor.

SOLICITOUS FOR SCIENCE.

The Pope has written a letter announcing the re-establishment of the donation for the astronomical observatory at the vatican. He declares that he is solicitous for the progress of science, and places the observatory in the same rank with other papal institutions.

**La Grippe in New York.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Dr. Cyrus Edson of the Health Department said this morning that there was another epidemic of the grip in the city.

## A BLOODY FEUD

**Brought to a Close by the Little God of Love.**

END OF THE FAMOUS HATFIELD-M'COY VENDETTA IN WEST VIRGINIA.

**The Robberies, Murders, Raids, Battles and Executions on the Border Line of Kentucky and West Virginia—Rosanna's Midnight Ride to Rescue Her Lover—A Bloody Record.**

WHEELING, W. Va., March 23.—The famous Hatfield-McCoy feud, which has lasted since 1873, and which has involved on one side or the other three-fourths of the residents of Logan County, W. Va., and Pike County, Ky., is over. A marriage between a Hatfield and a Miss McCoy first brought on the spirit of forgiveness. Since then a peace conference has been held, and, as a result, Capt. Anse Hatfield of Logan County has given out a card declaring all enmity between the families at an end. The loss of over a dozen lives is chargeable to this terrible vendetta.

Logan County, W. Va., embraces a region wholly cut off from railroad and telegraphic communication. There is only one place of worship in the county. It was erected by private enterprise. This county was the scene of the series of murders, incidents of the Hatfield-McCoy vendetta.

The Hatfield and McCoy families are the two leading mountain families of their region. The Hatfields live on the east side of the Tug River in West Virginia. The McCoys live in Pike County, Ky., on the other side of the river. These two families own large tracts of land and are thoroughly well-to-do. Neither of the heads of the families reads nor writes. Some of the children now growing up have the rudiments of an ordinary education. The two families have had very close relations at different times by marriage and through business relations. During the war there were organized on both sides of the river what were known as "home guards."

These home guards were organized ostensibly for the protection of the property interest of their region against an invading foe, but instead of becoming a real home defense they invariably followed the practice of robbery and murder, and practically led an outlaw life. The Hatfields on one side and the McCoys on the other ranged and plundered, and as a necessary consequence their interests often clashed. So the first quarrel began as far back as in 1863, when Harmon McCoy was killed by Ance Hatfield.

A LOVE AFFAIR.

Aside from the killing of Harmon McCoy in 1863, the motive of the breaking out of the feud in 1882 can be directly traced to a love affair between Johnson Hatfield and Rosanna McCoy. Rosanna McCoy was the daughter of Randall McCoy, the chief of the McCoy family in Pike County. Jonce Hatfield, in the language of the mountaineers, "took up" with her, captured her and brought her over to the West Virginia side. It was during this period that Bill Staton, a brother-in-law of Ellison and Ance Hatfield, was killed. He was a quarrelsome young fellow, according to the reports, and had had repeated quarrels with Sam McCoy. The latter was one of the most active of the McCoys. His character corresponded very much to that of Capt. Hatfield, on the opposite side.

A PEACEMAKER.

Both were killers, both were very fond of hunting, the noble sport of man. Sam McCoy once chased Staton up to Ellison Hatfield, Young Staton from behind the back of Ellison Hatfield, snapped a pistol at McCoy. Ellison Hatfield stopped that quarrel, but later Sam McCoy met Staton. Sam was accompanied by his brother Paris. The two young men began shooting at each other on sight. Staton was hit. They advanced towards each other rapidly, and in the final clinch young Staton bit or set his teeth in the cheek of Sam McCoy. Paris McCoy then came up with his revolver and blew out the brains of Station.

Now, it must be borne in mind that these two young men were tried by a Hatfield magistrate and acquitted. Paris, who had no part in the fight beyond coming up and killing Staton, as he was struggling with his brother, was promptly arrested and as promptly acquitted. Sam, who escaped, was not captnred until about a year afterwards, when he was tried before Wall Hatfield and also acquitted. This was previous to 1882.

On a visit to Pike County to see Rosanna Jonce Hatfield was arrested for carrying concealed weapons by the McCoys. In the middle of the night Rosanna mounted a horse and riding over to Logan County summoned a rescuing party. Jonce was brought back before morning to the Logan County side. Ellison Hatfield was one of the rescuers, and shortly after this he was stabbed to death by three of the McCoys.

Within a few months the three McCoys were captured by the Hatfields and tied to trees. They served as targets for half a dozen of the Hatfield rifles. The McCoys were subdued for a time.

During this era of good feeling Jeff McCoy killed a man named Woodruff on the Kentucky side and to escape the frequent and painful references to the unpleasant incident by reason of the difference of local opinion as to the justification in the case he crossed over to the Logan County side and visited Ellis Hatfield. While his guest he shot a vassal named Wallace and Hatfield in revenge determined to surrender him to the law. McCoy escaped from his captor host and running to Tug River he started to swim across under fire. He was killed as he reached the Kentucky side.

M'COYS RAIDING HATFIELD TERRITORY.

There now began a series of raids between the States of Kentucky and West Virginia, which have been misrepresented and misunderstood simply on account of the meager reports which come out from time to time from this most distant region. The Governor of Kentucky directed certain deputies, and principally one by the name of Philips, living in Pike County, to receive certain prisoners from West Virginia, upon the Governor of which State requisitions were to be made. Philips misconstrued his authority according to the domineering idea of the mountaineer, and honestly started out with the view that he was to cross the river and himself execute the arrest upon the soil of the State of West Virginia, so he astonished and outraged the citizens of that State by swooping down one day with a guard of thirty or forty people and capturing a man by the name of Tom Chambers, whom he carried off to the Pike County jail. Chambers was charged with being an accessory to the murder of the three McCoys who were executed for the murder of Ellison Hatfield. This raid caused great indignation, and was given out to the country as the raid of the McCoy family in the interest of the feud.

Retaliatory raids followed, and murder after murder stained the good name of these States.

MURDERING AN INNOCENT GIRL.

The Hatfields thought that these raids were inspired by the McCoys. They did not understand their assumption of legal character, and so the house of Randolph McCoy one night was surrounded by the Hatfield crowd, the house was fired into, a sharp volley was returned, and then, seeing that they were likely to receive as good as they could give, the house was set on fire and the family driven out. In the escape of the family from the house a daughter, a poor girl in the neighborhood of 16 years of age, something of an invalid, was shot deliberately by one of the attacking party. The old lady was beaten about the head with a gun so that her life was despaired of for several days, and one of the sons was killed. The house was burned to the ground. Randolph McCoy, the head of the family, escaped.

This burning of the house and the atrocious murders in connection with it, brought on another raiding party under the head of Philips. James Vance, who led the house burning party, was captured and killed.

SHOOTING FROM AMBUSH.

Before Philips made his fourth raid J. M. Jackson, Magistrate of Logan County Courthouse, issued a warrant for Philips' arrest for the murder of Vance. Warrants were placed in the hands of J. R. Thompson, Constable of Logan County. He summoned a posse of seven or eight men, among whom was Wm. Dempsey. He intended to execute the warrants only if he found the parties in West Virginia. He proceeded in the direction of the scene of trouble, and while passing down the Grapevine Creek, a tributary of Sandy River, and in crossing an open field he and his posse were charged upon by Philips, who lay in ambush under the river bank on the West Virginia side. After a sharp fight with Winchester rifles, in which some hundreds of shots were exchanged, the West Virginia posses of constables, being overpowered, retired, leaving Dempsey on the ground, he having been wounded in the leg during the fight.

Philips blew out Dempsey's brains, and his party took to the mountains after this. Since then fatal encounters have taken place between the McCoys and the Hatfields and the men who have married into the families and taken up the quarrel, but the law has failed to avenge any of the crimes.

To the good people of Logan and Pike Counties the announcement made by old man Hatfield will be glad tidings.

AMERICAN PORK FOR GERMANY.

**Why Its Importation Was Prohibited and the Change in Sentiment.**

This morning W. R. Upham of Indianapolis arrived in the city, and is at the Lindell. "There is scarcely a doubt that before the year is over American pork will be admitted to Germany free of duty," said Mr. Upham. "I have just returned from Germany myself, and as I am interested in pork packing took occasion to investigate the reasons why our hog products have been excluded from Germany. There is no question whatever that the exclusion is due pricipally, if not solely, to the desire of the landholding class to protect themselves against American competition. There is very little real belief in intelligent circles that our pork and bacon is more liable to disease than that raised in Germany itself. As a matter of fact American hams are the favorite. Here people talk about Westphalia hams, but in Berlin and Hamburg St. Louis and Cincinnati hams are considered far superior. It is to this fact that the great opposition to our pork may be traced. American wheat has driven many German farmers out of the wheat-raising business, and our increasing imports of corn are hurting them as regards the market for short forage, and if the Americans were allowed to send in their meat products free, the landlords saw that they would have to reduce their rents. But in a poor country like Germany no government dared openly to advocate a tariff that would raise the price of food, and therefore resort was had to the pretense that American pork was dangerous to health. Every effort was made to propagate this belief, samples of meat were carefully examined for trichinosis, and when a case was discovered it was heralded from one end of the country to the other. Having the strong influence of the landholding and farming classes at their back, for nearly every German farmer raises more or less pork, those who endeavored to secure the exclusion of the American hog were successful. Now, however, they are about at the end of their rope. American porkpackers, backed by the Department of Agriculture, have not only secured the passage of inspection laws in this country, but they have also collected evidence showing that there never was anything in the diseased meat scare. The American hog is certainly subject to trichinæ, but this is common to the entire race, and as a matter of fact is much more common in Germany than in this country. Some of the German newspapers are taking the matter up and showing how slight a basis the case of those who wish to exclude our meat on account of the alleged dangers incident to its consumption has to rest upon. The fact is that the United States consumes more pork per capita than any ather large country, and our vital statistics can be placed alongside of those of other nations without fear of making a bad showing. These statistics have been published throughout Germany, particular attention being paid to the health statistics of cities, when the cause of disease and death are specified, and it is argued that the American pork cannot be bad when such a good showing is made. Some newspapers are carrying the war into Africa and giving publicity to all the cases of disease arising from the use of unsound German pork, with the rather astonishing result that it is conclusively shown that diseased pork is much more common in Germany than in the United States. The manufacturers, who employ labor, and those who have no direct interest in agricultural lands are now demanding the removal of the prohibition on American pork, as since the tariff in this country was raised it is seen that in order to enter this market the cost of production in Germany must be lowered. But there can be no cut in wages until the price of pork is reduced, and this cannot take place as long as our cheap meats are excluded. Owing to these influences the opposition to the present laws is daily growing in strength, and even those most in favor of the disguised protection admit that within a short time it must go."

**Says It's a Lie.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—A reporter called at ex-President Cleveland's yesterday concerning the Canton (O.) dispatch, which says that Mr. Cleveland refused to speak in the recent congressional campaign for Mr. Warwick unless a guarantee of 8,000 majority for Mr. Warwick could be shown. Mr. Cleveland remarked: "The whole thing is, of course, a lie."

**Another Temperance Lecture.**

George Brown, a drunken negro, visited the City Dispensary yesterday morning with a scalp wound he had received in a fight, and after it was dressed he left for home again. Soon afterwards he tore the bandage off in a rage and Officer Heath decided to lock him up. The darkey objected and a fight ensued, in which Brown came out second best. He is now in the hospital with a very sore head.

**The Volcano Hunter All Right.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—The family of C. L. Norton of this city, who was reported to have been dangerously injured by falling from a tree while investigating a volcano in Florida, have received word from Tallehasse that Mr. Norton was not seriously injured and that he is now doing well.

**Stole a Marriage License.**

Pearl Williams, also known as Tillie Winnegar, was taken out of a disreputable house on Chestnut street yesterday, charged with stealing a pocket-book containg 65 cents and a marriage certificate from Mrs. Nellie Terry of 2225 Olive street. Mrs. Terry declined to prosecute, and the woman was released.

## TAMMANY DID IT.

**Rev. Thomas Dixon on the Mafia and the Recent Riot.**

A SENSATIONAL REVIEW OF THE BLOODY SATURDAY'S WORK.

**Inspector Byrnes Is on the Alert for an Outbreak Among the Italians of New York—Emissaries From New Orleans Working There—A Mob of Boys Assault a Mass Meeting of the Indignant.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Rev. Thomas Dixon, pastor of the Twenty-third Street Baptist Church, announced on Saturday that he would talk about the New Orleans mob, and so Association Hall was crowded yesterday morning. The prelude was called "The Shot-gun in New Orleans," and there was a sub-heading, "The Philosophy of the Mob." After saying that the news from New Orleans made sad reading, and alluding to the execution of the Anarchists in Chicago, which he said was not in accordance with the evidence, Mr. Dixon continued:

"Mob justice is brutal, devilish and horrible. If there be such a thing as a respectable mob, that of New Orleans was surely one. It was the highest order of lynch judgment. Yet, with all its discipline, its list of business men and good citizens, it was a sickening, disgusting spectacle that makes the noblest instincts of humanity cry aloud in indignant protest. And yet, looking the whole case squarely in the face, the result was inevitable. The provocation was terrible. The city had been terrorized for years by an organized band of robbers and highwaymen. They defied the law. They rejoiced in the darkness, the stiletto, the razor, the slug and shot-gun. Forty murders were committed by those assassins in the five years preceding last June, when they shot down six men in cold blood in the heart of the city. Six of these red-handed criminals were convicted. But they obtained a new trial. Before that trial came off the principal witness was foully murdered. David C. Hennessy, the bold and fearless Chief of Police, determined to uproot this gang. Three days before their trial Hennessy was found in front of his home riddled with buckshot. These oath-bound assassins and their friends succeeded in 'fixing' this jury either by bribery or intimidation or both. The guilt of the men on trial for the murder of Hennessy was not doubted, yet they were acquitted. The population of New Orleans rose in indignant fury and the tragedy was the result.

"This devilish secret society known as the Mafia, with crime as the object of its existence, is the cause which led to this calamity. There is no room on this continent for such gangs. We are again thus reminded of this fact that we have in our midst unassimilated foreign elements which we must speedily assimilate or spew out. The Italians of New York made a grave mistake when, in the excitement of the moment, they raised the cry, 'We are Italians; let every Italian stand together. We never forget. Vendetta!' The time has come in this nation for the people to rise in might and sweep from the face of the earth this brood who breathe the breath of hell and yet revel in the liberties of a free republic. Let all good Italian citizens co-operate in the God-given work. The decay of public confidence in our judicial processes is one of the most startling phenomena of the day. It means a certain revolution of some sort, either the reconstruction of method peacefully or the lapse into the chaos of anarchism, out of which a new civilization will be built. When all classes lose confidence in courts, and money and influence and threats rule supreme, the hour has come for a deluge of blood. We should ask ourselves seriously, whither are we drifting? We should ask ourselves, as citizen kings, who is, after all, responsible for these things?"

In concluding his sermon Mr. Dixon said New York was about the worst city that ever was. He was particularly bitter against Tammany Hall and launched his shafts against Police Justice Divver.

TROY BOYS MOB ITALIANS.

TROY, N. Y., March 23.—A gang of 150 Italians met in a hall last night to protest against the mob's action in New Orleans. Some of the men, who attended the meeting, taking courage from the numbers, talked loud on the street and sidewalk. When the meeting had about begun a mob of 200 men and boys quietly assembled about the hall and then threw bricks and stones through the window. Several shots were fired and it seemed as though the mob intended to wipe out the Italians. They huddled together under chairs and close to the walls of the room until the police came to disperse the mob, which was in great glee and enjoying the scare given the Italians.

GOV. NICHOLLS' LETTER.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 23. — Gov. Nicholls' letter to Secretary Blaine concerning the Mafia riot is now on the way to Washington. From what has been said about this letter it is not expected that it will give the Secretary any great amount of satisfaction or news.

A secret meeting of Italians was held yesterday in Congo Square which was attended by about 100 Sicilians. The police are now trying to ascertain what transpired at the meeting.

HE WASN'T IN IT.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 23.—Charles Burton, a lineman in the employ of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Service, in a fit of bravado went into an Italian barber shop on Harrison street Saturday and announced that he was one of the mob that stormed the jail in New Orleans and dared any "Dago" in the shop to open his mouth. The sons of sunny Italy to the number of about a dozen set on the lineman and beat him frightfully with clubs and shovels and slashed him with razors. Three of them were arrested to-day.

ON THE ALERT.

INSPECTOR BYRNES FINDS TWO EMISSARIES FROM THE MAFIA IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Chief Inspector Byrnes fully realizes the necessity at this time of curbing the revengeful spirit of the Italian colonists of this city, and preventing exhibitions of too much aggressiveness over the recent episode at New Orleans. The poorer classes of Italians is considerably excited over what they regard as a high handed outrage and an outbreak may occur at any time. Detective Sergeants Perezzo and Sissaro of the Central office have been unremitting in their labors among the Italians during the past week. They have succeeded in locating the whereabouts of two of the leaders of the Mafia of New Orleans who arrived in this city on Friday last. The names of these men are Luigi Contenari and Antonio Maleschi. The men are being shadowed by Byrnes' men, who have orders that at the first sign of any attempt to incite their countrymen the two are to be arrested and landed at the Mulberry street headquarters.

Already the agents of the Mafia are at work among the members of the fraternity in this city. Several secret meetings were held yesterday in different parts of the city, but owing to the inspector's forethought and discretion in assigning members of the police force who are conversant with the Italian language he succeeded in having a trusted agent in disguise present at each gathering, and to-day he is in possession of a knowledge of the complete proceedings that were carried on at each meeting. Considerable speculation has been indulged in regarding the object of the visit of the two emissaries from New Orleans. Various theories have been advanced, but the idea that prevails generally is that they have been commissioned to select certain members of the New York branch to visit the Crescent City for the purpose of beginning the work of vengeance.

STARVATION AT SHERRILL.

**The Cypress Lumber Co.'s Failure Causes Great Distress—Labor News.**

PINE BLUFF, Ark., March 23.—This morning a POST-DISPATCH man interviewed a prominent gentleman from Sherrill in regard to the failure of the Cypress Lumber Co. there, and was told that a most pitiable condition of affairs existed in Sherrill. When the mill closed about one hundred and fifty men were thrown out of work, and as none of them had received a dollar in pay for their work in several months, they are in a destitute condition. The mill owes the men all the way from $50 to $600 a piece. Many of them are in debt to the merchants of Sherill for provisions, which were bought in good faith with the expectation that they could settle when they received pay for their work. Now that the failure has occurred they can get nothing to live upon. The boarding-houses have closed business and refuse to keep them longer, as the men are behind about $600 for board. On Saturday a contribution was taken up in Sherrill for their relief, and a small amount of provisions was supplied to them. W. E. Boyington, the proprietor, arrived in Pine Bluff last night, and it is understood that a meeting of the creditors of the company will be called to-day to try and come to a settlement and devise a way in which the mill may again be put in operation. It is hoped that a settlement can be made and that the unfortunate employes of the mill can get some relief, or at least provisions on which they can live until they can find other employment. The failure has been a great set-back to Sherrill and every man in the place is a loser by it. Several persons who had invested all their hard-earned savings in small business enterprises, have been forced to close.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS AND EIGHT HOURS.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 23.—The carpenters and Carpenters and Builders' Association came to an understanding late Saturday night. The minimum rate of wages for the next two years will be 35 cents an hour, and a joint committee on arbitration will decide all questions submitted. The eight-hour day was agreed upon.

MUST HAVE A FEDERATION.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 23.—The federation of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Railway Conductors, Locomotive Firemen and Brakemen on the Southern Pacific system, is being delayed by the opposition of the San Antonio and Houston Divisions. Another meeting will be called to bring about the federation if possible.

A DESPERATE DEED.

**Men of La Porte, Ind., Robbed Under Extraordinary Circumstances.**

CHICAGO, Ill., March 23.—John Wilson and Henry Matthews, two respectable citizens of La Porte, Ind., were seized by three burly ruffians while they were walking to their homes a few miles outside that city about dusk last evening and thrown into an empty cattle car which was on its way to Chicago, attached to the regular cattle train. The train had stopped but started as soon as the daring deed was committed. The ruffians threw the men to the floor of the car and robbed them of their valuables which they only succeeded in taking after a desperate struggle. The robbers sprang upon their victims, and over and over they rolled, each man fighting for supremacy. The noise of the rapidly moving train and the cries of the huddled up cattle drowned the shouts of the men for help.

The men, who were big and strong, fought desperately for their lives, but the three robbers were too much for them. After a battle of nearly half an hour the nearly exhausted men were hurled from the rapidly moving train and left lying bruised, bleeding and unconscious by the roadside. Two hours afterward they were found and conveyed to a neighboring house where they were revived. As soon as their story was learned the Chicago police were notified, but so far no arrests have been made. The wounded men were taken to their homes. They are both seriously injured, but not necessarily fatally.

A HORRIBLE SLAUGHTER.

**Two Hundred Insurgents Shot With Cannon and Muskets Near Valparaiso.**

LONDON, March 23.—Dispatches from Chili received via Buenos Ayres say there has been severe fighting near Valparaiso recently, and that 200 of the insurgents were taken prisoners, tied together and shot with cannon and musketry by the government troops.

**Warrant for the City Hall Robber.**

A warrant for burglary in the second degree and larceny was sworn out this morning against James Haggerty. The defendant was formerly employed as a sub-janitor at the City Hall, and is alleged to have stolen tools of the value of $30 from the office of the Sewer Commissioner. He was arrested on Saturday afternoon by Detectives Viehle and Ziegler of headquarters, and confessed his guilt. It is now known that Wm. Tappen and Thomas Sayers were implicated in the job, warrants charging them with receiving stolen property having been sworn out. Tappen is now in the Work-house serving a six-months' term from the Court of Criminal Correction for petit larceny. Sayers has not yet been arrested.

**Both in the Hospital.**

CHICAGO, Ill., March 23.—During a quarre in a saloon last night Frank Rompolski drew a knife and stabbed Leon Celsinski in the left cheek, inflicting a serious wound, and then knocked him senseless. Rompolski then ran out of the saloon and was caught by Tony Tolzski, who had witnessed the affray. Rompolski struck Tolski over the head with a heavy piece of iron which he carried, knocked him unconscious and escaped. Both men are seriously wounded and were taken to the hospital.

**He Wanted to Be Sure.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 23.—M. W. Moorehouse, aged 89 years, of Greenfield Hill, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself. He took to bed with him Saturday night a double barrelled shotgun and a razor. Yesterday morning he sat up in bed, pressed the triggers with his toes, and both barrels were discharged into his breast. Despondency over the recent death of his wife was the cause.

**C. M. Depew at Watertown, N. Y.**

WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 23.—Messrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Third Vice-President Webb, General Manager Toucey and other officials of the New York Central arrived here this morning. The party will travel the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg road to-day and return here this evening, where a reception will be tendered them.

## TAKES THE DARE.

**Parnell Resigns to Meet Maurice Healy in Cork.**

THE DEPOSED LEADER COMPELLED TO THIS COURSE BY M'CARTHYITES.

**Sligo Refuses to Enthuse Over Him and Does Not Meet Him at the Station—A Bogus Subscription to the Funds Denounced—The Leaguers of Lynn Refuse to Indorse Either Faction.**

CORK, March 23.—It is announced to-day that Mr. Parnell has written a letter to the Cork Leadership Committee in which he says that the tone of studied insult and the untruthful character of the statements made in Mr. Healy's letter accepting his (Parnell's) challenge that they should both resign their seats in Parliament and come forward as candidates for re-election, debars him from communicating directly with Healy or with the latter's friends. Mr. Parnell adds that it is impossible to expect that any agreement will be respected by his opponents longer than expedient. However, he has placed his application for the Chiltern Hundreds in Mr. Nolan's hands, requesting him to forward it directly. Mr. Healy submits himself before the electors of the division of Cork which he represents.

M'CARTHY SAID TO BE OUT.

Justin McCarthy will take no part in the Sligo struggle, and an intimate friend of McCarthy says that he will have little more to do with Irish politics in Ireland.

A BOGUS SUBSCRIPTION.

DUBLIN, March 23.—Canon Kearney has written a letter to the *National Press*, the McCarthyite organ, in which he says that he is astonished to find his name published in the *Freeman's Journal* as having written to the Lord Mayor inclosing a £5 note for the fund being raised for Mr. Parnell's campaign purposes. Canon Kearney's denial, the *National Press* says, is suggestive of a bogus list of subscribers.

NO ASSISTANCE FOR EITHER FACTION.

LYNN, Mass., March 23.—The Parnell branch of the Irish National League in this city met yesterday to consider two communications received from respectively John Fitzgerald, National President, of Lincoln, Neb., and John J. Donovan, State Executive, of Lowell, Mass. The letters were marked "confidential." After they had been read to the meeting a motion was unanimously carried that the Parnell branch "should in no way recognize the parties referred to or any envoys from either of the two factions contending at home," and that "no assistance, either financial or otherwise, should be rendered until the unfortunate affair should reach settlement at home, a leader be chosen and a firm, united front for home rule be presented."

NEGLECTED AT SLIGO.

DUBLIN, March 23.—Mr. Parnell left this city to-day for Sligo, where he expected to address the people. Notwithstanding that his approach to the latter city has been widely advertised and loudly heralded there was neither an organization nor a crowd to meet him when he stepped on the platform of the station.

HEALY WILL MEET IT.

CORK, March 23.—Maurice Healy, when questioned to-day about Mr. Parnell's letter to the Leadership Committee saying that his application for the Chiltern Hundreds was in the hands of Mr. Nolan, said that he had not seen the letter referred to, but if the resignation was genuine he (Mr. Healy) would instantly meet it.

LONDON, March 23.—Michael Davitt in an interview to-day said that Mr. Parnell's phrase in his letter to the Cork Leadership Committee saying, "So soon as Mr. Healy has submitted himself to the judgment of and has gone to his constituents," is a repretition of the Boulogne trick. Mr. Davitt added: "Mr. Parnell wishes to make Mr. Healy be the first to resign, and then Mr. Parnell would be guided by the result of Mr. Healy's fate. Mr. Parnell would never have noticed the acceptance of this challenge except for the taunts of the press. He now evades the terms of his own challenge."

Mr. Davitt, referring to the recent Conservative victory at Ashton, said that the battle was fought, not on a home rule but on a labor issue and that Joseph Chamberlain's influence secured the middle class vote. He added that the Government's resolve to appoint a labor commission to inquire into cause of strikes and the best way to remedy them, as well as into labor matters generally undoubtedly greatly influenced the laborers, but the latter didn't see the Government's desire to shelve the labor question by appointing such men as Lord Hartington and the Earl of Derby as members of the commission."

The challenge which Mr. Parnell accepted is the one Maurice Healy, M. P., flaunted at him on March 19. In the challenge Mr. Healy wanted Parnell to resign and he (Healy) would do the same. They were to present themselves for re-election in their respective districts. The city of Cork has two seats in the Commons and Parnell represents one and Maurice Healy the other, so that the campaign will be fought in the same town. Healy in closing his challenge stated that he did not want Parnell to resort to any committee room No. 15 or Boulogne conference tactics to escape the judgment the electors would surely put on him. The discrowned king did not accept the challenge and the general impression is that he would not have done so but for the howl the McCarthy organs have made over his cowardice.

MAY TURN TO CANADA.

THE SANDWICH ISLAND RECIPROCITY TREATY NOT SATISFACTORY TO THE QUEEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The *Examiner's* special correspondence from Honolulu, dated March 12, says: The new commercial treaty between the United States and Hawaiian Islands has been received from Washington and has been submitted to a secret conference of the Queen and her Cabinet. The new treaty calls for the cancellation of the present exisiting treaty between the two Governments and the substitution of the new document which permits of full and free interchange of all products, both natural and manufactured, of the two countries. This treaty is said to be the same which was submitted to King Kalakaua shortly before his death in San Francisco. The King objected to the treaty because Hawaiian sugar was not put on equal terms with American sugar, namely, to receive bounty, and it is not known what action on the treaty will be taken by the Hawaiian Government, but it is stated that the influence of the English friends of the Queen, as well as the influence of the resident British diplomats, will prevent her from accepting the new treaty in its present form. It is almost conceded that Her Majesty will turn to Canada and Australia for an arrangement similar to the commercial treaty heretofore existing between Hawaii and the United States. Owing to the appointment of Chas. B. Wilson as Marshal of the Kingdom two members of the Cabinet will resign. Wilson is an illiterate fellow, but has the friendship of the Queen.

Chas. Rundelman committed suicide by hanging in the barn of Judge H. W. Otrich, near Anna, Ill., Friday night. He had been crossed in love.

# REFUSED TO RUN.

## Why Certain Democrats Would Not Accept Nominations.

### EVIDENCE OF A CONSPIRACY BETWEEN CANDIDATES ON OPPOSING TICKETS.

**Mr. Arnstein Returns and Tells How He First Received Information of His Nomination—As to Tom Wand's Denial—The Republicans Making Desperate Efforts to Organize.**

There are two incidents connected with the nominations of Councilmen which clearly reveal the methods of the parties in choosing their tickets. Mr. Adam Wachman was spoken of frequently for a place on the Republican ticket, but when the convention met Mr. Wachman's name was not mentioned. The reason for this was that certain men went to see him and told him that they would like to have him run, but that he was expected to contribute $1,000. Mr. Wachman's reply was: "Not 1,000 cents."

They could not prevail upon him to contribute the money, and he did not go on the ticket. Mr. Wachman does not believe in buying nominations any more than he believes in buying franchises, and he would not be a party to any such proceeding. The other incident is connected with Mr. Henry L. Edmunds, who was prominently mentioned for a place in the Council nominations on the Democratic ticket. It was rather a surprise that he was not nominated. The explanation is given now for the first time. Mr. Edmunds was approached by a friend of the Mayor, who asked him whether, if he was elected, he would pledge himself to confirm the Mayor's nominees.

Mr. Edmunds replied most positively that he would not. The result, of course, he could foresee. He did not go on the ticket.

Such incidents as these only serve to prove the truth of the charge made by the Independents that the tickets would be made up by the machines to do machine work, and that the politicians, not the people, were the only ones who stood any chance in the conventions. The conduct of those who are supposed to have party confidence proves that the plan previously outlined is the real plan of the parties; that is to nominate three men on each ticket to be elected and three to be knifed.

Wm. Fruedenau, who was Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions in Noonan's convention, advocates the withdrawal of Anderson and sounds the praises of Comfort.

John E. Mohan, Democratic member of the House of Delegates, recently defeated for renomination by Mr. Townsend, made a bet that Comfort would get more votes than any man on the Independent ticket.

Col. Wm. Swift made a similar bet at the "corners" yesterday.

WAND'S DENIAL.

Tom Wand denies his interview in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

The question then arises whether Tom lied in his interview or in his denial, for he certainly lied in one case or the other.

Tom's statements are not worth much credence generally, and when he gave up his information concerning the manner in which the Mayor worked the convention by pulling the strings from a neighboring drug store, they were not accepted for publication simply because it was naturally supposed that he would deny them, but in order to secure these same assertions in a manner which would fix their responsibility on him a witness was obtained and he repeated them in the presence of a witness whose word will not be questioned. This gentleman has given the POST-DISPATCH full and free permission to use his name whenever it pleases, but as it is entirely unnecessary to raise a question of veracity with Wand the name will not be published until it is asked for.

The interview occurred on Saturday afternoon and in the presence of a witness who says that Wand was correctly reported. Wand said more than that. He spoke about the Mayor at length but his vaporings were not interesting and nothing was said about them. He is only interesting when he has facts to relate and the facts he stated in that interview corroborated so perfectly the story of the caucus that because they agreed with what was already known they were accepted; not because Wand told them.

The Wands are figuring quite prominently in the campaign. John Wand, Tom's brother, is employed as a Deputy Street Inspector, and this morning he arrested another of the young men who was distributing campaign literature. The Independents had the article which appeared in the POST-DISPATCH of March 20, giving away the making of the slate, printed in circular form and engaged a force of men to distribute them in the houses of St. Louis, so that every man, woman and child in St. Louis might know by what obnoxious methods the Democratic ticket was nominated. Mr. Henry Alchoff had charge of a force of distributors, and was giving the circulars to boys who placed them in the houses. Wand was walking down Carr street, and as he approached Twenty-eighth he saw the agents of the Independents distributing material which was damaging to the chances of the Democratic ticket, and he immediately called upon a policeman to arrest Mr. Alchoff. The policeman and three other witnesses will testify to the innocence of Mr. Alchoff of the charge preferred against him of throwing dodgers on the street, and Wand will be the only witness for the prosecution.

**Candidate Arnstein Makes a Statement.**

Mr. Albert Arnstein, one of the Democratic Council nominees, returned yesterday from Helena, Ark., where he was engaged for several days last week in an important legal case. Speaking to a POST-DISPATCH reporter he said: "I was in Helena when the Democratic Convention was held and the first intimation of my nomination reached me when I received a copy of Thursday's POST-DISPATCH. I was not a candidate and knew nothing of any movement to get me on the ticket. When I returned I was by no means ready to take the nomination, knowing that to do so would entail a sacrifice of personal convenience and business interests. Another thing that gave me some concern was the report that my friends had gotten my name on the ticket on the strength of a statement that they would contribute a large sum of money to defray the expenses of the campaign. I called on Mr. Bernheimer and asked him if any such representation had been made. He positively assured me that the story was without foundation. I can say that I know nothing whatever of any slate or the substitution of my name for that of Mr. Murphy. When I left for Arkansas I had no idea that I would find myself a Democratic Council nominee on my return.

When asked if he would accept the nomination, Mr. Arnstein replied that he had carefully looked into the matter and had reached the conclusion to make the race.

**The Independent House Candidates.**

The following is a revised and corrected list of the Independent candidates for the House of Delegates, as shown by the certificates on file in Recorder Carlisle's office: W. Q. Marsom, Third Ward; Thomas Cosgrove, Tenth Ward; Bernard Donnelly, Seventeenth Ward; H. M. Harris and Edmund Coyne, Nineteenth Ward; George Haworth, Twentieth Ward; Jere Coakley and J. Will Barron, Twenty-fifth Ward, and W. B. Long, Twenty-eighth Ward. Of these candidates Donnelly is also on the regular Republican ticket together with Haworth of the Second Ward and Long of the Twenty-eighth Ward. The others are running as independents without any party indorsements.

**Political Notes.**

The Polish Democratic Club of the Fourth Ward met at St. Louis Hall, Broadway and Biddle street, yesterday and indorsed the Democratic Council ticket.

The supporters of Henry Zaellner, the Republican candidate for the House of Delegates, yesterday presented him with a complete field sportsman's outfit. The presentation speech was made by Thomas B. Holland, an ex-member of the Legislature.

The Jeffersonian Knights, one of the Democratic organizations of the Twenty-fourth Ward, will meet to-morrow evening at Leffingwell avenue and Wash street.

DO NOT FORGET TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW, the Easter opening of Solid Silver and Cut Glass, at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

## A LOVE OF A BONNET.

**One for Every Lady in the City May Be Obtained at Sonnenfeld's.**

Nothing could possibly be prettier and more effective than the artistic display of ribbons and laces and flowers and everything that enters into "a love of a bonnet," which may now be seen in Sonnenfeld's windows, 815 North Broadway. Their window artist has been hard at work for the past week, night and day, in planning and working his designs, in which are employed over $5,000 worth of fine material. In one window is represented a lawn with exquisite blooming flowers, and in the midst, an artificial lake upon which floats a boat, an immense Easter egg, with sails set, and bursting from it is a fairy-like child garlanded with flowers. The central window is equally beatiful. On each side are columns and garlands, and arches of flowers, from which swing hats improvised from hanging baskets, overrun with flowers. In the center towering aloft is a perfect representation of the Eiffel Tower, built of ribbons and laces and bearing the inscription: "Sonnenfeld's Towers Above Them All." Within the doorway a fairy scene greets the eye. Upon the first floor is the largest "downstairs" emporium of millinery outside of New York. Down the center are shelves and cases filled with ribbons and laces and velvets, dividing the apartment in half, with large openings between. On one side there is a fine array of bonnets and hats costing from $1.50 to $500, and 500 cartons of flowers displayed. On the other side may be found the most exquisite confections of the milliners' art brought from London and Paris and New York, rivalled only by those created by the skillful fingers of Sonnenfeld's own milliners.

The millinery this spring is artistic and airy, fancy and lace straws aiding in carrying out these light and graceful effects. The gleam of gold is on everything, and exquisite flowers, with natural foliage, furnish the objective trimming of all chapeaux.

A lovely little cottage bonnet is of Mandarin yellow china silk, shirred crown and brim, drooping slightly over the front, beneath a cluster of daisy buds, grouped in the center of a large bow of cream colored ribbon, turned up at the back with daisy buds tied in with ribbons.

A very large plateau is of open braidwork, faced with moss green velvet and turned up upon the left side beneath a large fan-shaped bow of green surah satin with high loops in the back, the entire brim of the hat on the right side covered with clusters of green currants.

A little toque of cream and brown, trimmed with white rings and large loops of cream tinted ribbon, is as simple and dainty as can be.

A very stylish hat is of the new shade of gray, Argentine, very large, with open work edge, turned up in fluted folds at the back beneath a cluster of scarlet poppies, matching the velvet bandeau and loops of velvet ribbon, which are designed to rest upon the hair, which must be worn low on the neck. For the front, some soft folds of pale gray crepe are drawn through a large marquise ring set with cut steel. One of the loveliest of the poke effects is of fine brown straw, faced with moss green velvet, turned up at the back, with heliotrope gros-grain ribbons in three shades, forming the base, for large, fan-like effects in green velvet. The brim is completely covered by a thick wreath of violets in every shade. This combination of the shades which are found in the earth, the moss and the violets, is extremely odd and effective. A large gray hat is trimmed with rosettes of gray ribbon and yellow velvet roses. A charming little toque is made entirely of jeweled lace and gold braid, a gilded asp coiled in the folds. A novel little toque of black lace, with bows of lavender and wings of lace, is garlanded with thick wreathes of miniature bunches of grapes. A lovely plateau of openwork braid, with corrugated front, drooping over the face, has a crown of light tan colored crepe, embroidered in colors, turned up at the back with a bow of black velvet, beneath which is a bandeau of velvet supporting clusters of grapes, which will rest upon the coils of the hair. A very chic little Erench bonnet is of open work straw, slightly pointed in front, beneath a rosette of primrose satin ribbon, with straight pointed ends standing erect; at the back it is turned up with another bow of the satin ribbon, tying in a loose bunch of purple cornflowers. A very elegant imported hat is of black open-work straw, with quite a wide brim, faced with lace lightly spangled with gold. Upon the crown rests a large bow of orange velvet ribbon, the loops drawn from the center in every direction, like the rays of the sun, and, peeping from beneath, clusters of violets, with their green leaves. About the erect loops of velvet ribbon in the center is coiled a gilded asp. Another French confection of immense proportions is extremely picturesque and very airy. The broad brim is of the lightest lacework in gold, bordered with a two-inch shirring of black silk gauze. The crown is of shirred gauze and in front is a very broad Alsatian bow of wide black ribbon. At the back it is turned up with a bunch of black silk orchids tied up with black ribbons. Still another exquisite Paris confection is of open work black braid edged with a thick wreath of purple grapes, a large bow of moss green velvet at the back tying in a bunch of pansies.

These are but a few exquisite confections shown at Sonnenfeld's opening to-day out of twenty-five dozen imported directly from the most noted foreign emporiums purposely for this display. And out of this immense number of novelties no two are alike. A lady purchasing here need not be afraid of seeing a duplicate worn by any of her acquaintances. In the cases are to be found a wonderful display of novelties to be employed in the trimming and manufacture of bonnets and hats which will rival the best Paris confections.

MEN'S hand-sewed shoes to order, $5. G. H. BOEHMER, 621 Olive street.

**Carondelet Dissatisfied.**

The people of Carondelet, regardless of politics, are exceedingly indignant at the treatment they received from both the Democratic and Republican Conventions. They say that they ought to have been given representation, but were ignored by both conventions. Speaking of the dissatisfaction in that section, Joseph Murphy, who was rubbed off the Democratic slate to make place for Mr. Arnstein, said he did not know what the Carondelet people would do about it. "Our section of the city has been left off all the tickets, but I guess we'll roll up a Democratic majority anyhow."

**Shirts and Underwear at the Globe.**

Fancy French Balbriggan underwear 50c and 75c. Finest of Lisle, silk and solid black underwear and full line of spring neckwear just arrived. Regular $1.50 puffed bosom white shirts 95c.

GLOBE, 703 to 713 Franklin avenue.

NEW spring styles, our own design, in men's fine footwear. G. H. BOEHMER, 621 Olive.

## A DAY OF SLAUGHTER.

### THE MISSOURI SENATE KILLS THE EXPRESS AND REDISTRICTING BILLS.

**A Bill Excepting from City Taxes 40-Acre Tracts in City Limits Passed—Work for the Extra Session Laid Out—A Lock-Picking Scandal at Springfield.**

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., March 23.—There was only one working body of the Legislatare this morning. The House did not try to do anything; the Senate, however, went right ahead with its work.

The express bills were called up and killed.

The Moberly bill, which was substituted for the Newberry bill by the House, contained just what the stumper promised before election, but the Senate would not accept it, and the Conference Committee could not agree. The Senate refused to adpoint another committee or take any action, and the bill is dead.

The Senate took up and killed the House bill redistricting the State. A number of members were against it, because it gave St. Louis and Kansas City each one additional representative. This throws all the work of redistricting in representative, senatorial and congressional districts upon the extra session.

The Senate passed the Julian bill making writs returnable at any time during the term instead of on the first day only and in other ways seeking to hasten the progress of a suit in court.

The House bill excepting for city taxes unplotted tracts of ground of forty acres or over within city limits was also passed by the Senate this morning.

There was a resolution introduced in the House this morning censuring the Senate for its action in instructing the Lieutenant-Governor not to sign the merchants' license bill. It was laid on the table, however. Those who were hot-headed over the matter have concluded that they cannot mandamus the Lieutenant-Governor and the bill is as dead as the Mafia.

PICKED THE LOCKS.

BILLS STOLEN FROM THE ILLINOIS HOUSE CLERK'S DESK.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 23.—It has transpired that some one picked the locks on two drawers in the room of the Clerk of the House of Representatives and stole about 4,000 copies of different bills that had been printed for the use of the committees. It may have been done to secure delay in the consideration of certain measures but the real object is not known. At any rate it will make business for the printer and cause great inconvenience to the committees, and will obstruct the work of legislation. However, it is conceded, that little will be done this week on account of the Palmer ratification on Wednesday, which will break up the routine of the business.

THE DEADLOCK IN NEBRASKA.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 23.—The Senate deadlock over railway legislation is still attracting widespread interest. Neither side would consent to adjourn Saturday night, and as a result the Senators stayed in the Senate Chamber all night, and yesterday a proposition was prepared and submitted to the independents, and their reply is now being awaited.

A GREAT HAND-OUT IN SIGHT.

PARIS, Tex., March 23.—The meeting of the special session of the Choctaw Council, which opens April 1, is looked forward to with much interest. An important question will be the disposition of the $2,500,000 to be received from the United States for lands. The proposition to divide it among the people meets with much favor.

OMAHA, Neb., March 23.—Senator Taylor, the Independent member of the Senate who was spirited away by the railroads to defeat the maximum rate bill, has been located in Council Bluffs. The house where he is located is surrounded by Deputy Sergeants-at-Arms. Congressman McKirgan, the famous Alliance man, last night tried to abduct Taylor to this State, but failed. Gov. Boyd is making out a requisition.

LEE'S BIRTHDAY

MADE A LEGAL HOLIDAY IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 23.—In the Senate this morning the bill requiring that all coal oil shipped to cities of the first and second class in Arkansas shall undergo local inspection was passed. Also, a bill regulating the manner in which county convicts shall be leased to contractors. The Senate also passed a bill regulating the protest of commercial paper. The bill adds to those days already recognized as legal holidays the 1st of Jannary, Thanksgiving day, Washington's birthday and Robert E. Lee's birthday. It also regulates the presentation and protest of commercial paper falling due on legal holidays.

It makes all sight papers drawn on banks payable without grace as though drawn on demand.

This morning the Governor signed the bill authorizing the Treasurer to borrow the Internal Improvement and Swamp Land funds, about $50,000, to pay the salaries of the members of the General Assembly, none of whose warrants have been cashed since Feb. 20.

In the House a bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicants within three miles of the Arkansas College in Independence County was passed.

The Joint Committee on Auditor's and Treasurer's books reported the result of their investigation of the Treasurer's accounts during his third term, declaring that no deficit occurred, but that there were quite a number of irregularities discovered in the disposition of certain bonds, and the assignment of scrips to the various funds.

The remainder of the morning session was taken up by Mr. Sellers, who spoke in opposition to the railroad commission bill, contending that it was an unconstitutional measure, as it created three permanent State offices.

**Hat Bargains at the Globe.**

Latest Dunlap, Miller & Youman blocks, worth $3, at $2. $5 silk hats, new styles, $3. 100 doz. nobbiest boys' hats and caps 25c to $1.

GLOBE, 703 to 713 Franklin avenue.

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**Ex-Governor Robinson Dead.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., March 31.—Ex-Gov. Robinson died at 12:55 o'clock this p. m.

Lucius Robinson was born in Green County, N. Y., Nov. 4, 1810, studied law and was admitted to the the bar in 1842. He became District Attorney and was Master in Chancery in New York City in 1843 to 1845. He left the Democracy at the formation of the Republican party and was elected as a Republican to the Assembly, State Comptrollership. He went back to the Democrats in 1865 and was renominated by them for Comptroller, but was defeated. In 1871-72 he was a member of the State Constitutional Convention; was elected Comptroller in 1875 as a Democrat, and chosen Governor in 1876; renominated in 1879 against the wishes of Tammany Leader Kelly, and the latter ran as an independent Democrat, defeating Robinson.

SAMUEL NORMENT DEAD.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Samuel Norment, President of the Central National Bank of Washington, who has been in ill-health for some weeks, died this morning. Morment was one of the oldest and most highly respected, as well as one of the wealthiest business men of the district.

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Our new Illustrated Catalogue and Price List is now ready for mailing, and will promptly forward on application.

## IT WAS INCENDIARISM.

### TERRIFIC GAS EXPLOSION FOLLOWED BY A FIRE ON NORTH BROADWAY.

**A Blaze in the Dry Goods Store of P. H. Mueller Extinguished by the Department and Evidences of Incendiarism Discovered—No Explanation.**

A few minutes after 2 o'clock this morning Officers Kane and Maher, who were standing at the corner of Broadway and Madison streets, were startled by a terrific explosion, which sounded much like a blast in a quarry A moment later they saw flames dart out through the doors and windows of the dry goods store of P. H. Mueller, No. 2014 North Broadway. An alarm was turned in from box No. 34, and within three minutes Engine Co. No. 2, which is stationed only two or three blocks away, was on the scene. The fire was well developed, and was rapidly working its way up a rear staircase to the second floor, which was unoccupied. It was, however, soon extinguised by the Department.

IT WAS INCENDIARISM.

An investigation by the police developed that there had been a most aggrivated attempt at incendiarism. At a point where two counters join a short piece of tallow candle was found that had been partly burned. The candle was set upon the top of bundle of old papers and other inflammable material. The main gas pipe leading down from the ceiling to the burners in the center of the room had been wrenched off and was laid carelessly on a box of clothing. The escaping of gas was doubtless the cause of the explosion. The force must have been terrific, as it broke the plastering on the ceiling, forced the roof out of position, and left the front wall in such a dangerous condition that the Hook & Ladder Co. were called into service to brace it up. The stock in the store is valued on a rough estimate at $2,500.

CAN'T ACCOUNT FOR IT.

Mr. Mueller was seen by the police early this morning and is at a loss to understand why such a dastardly attempt should have been made on his store. The building is a two-story building, with two rooms on the first floor and one above, the latter being vacant. It is owned by John L. Lambrecht. Mr. Mueller has occupied the store about six months, and resides in another part of the city.

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**MERCHANTS PROTEST.**

**A Deputation Visits Jefferson City to Oppose the Fogle Bill.**

This morning a la ge delegation, representing the Merchants' Exchange, the retail trade of St. Louis and the Furniture Board of Trade, left the city ... Jefferson City. The object of their visit is to protest against the signature of Gov. Francis being appended to the Fogle bill. The deputation will have a meeting with Gov. Francis this evening, and will present the reasons against the bill becoming a law. It is expected that the party will return to-morrow morning.

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MEN'S hand-sewed shoes to order, $5. G.H. BOEHMER, 621 Olive.

**WANTS NO CONFERENCE.**

**Mr. Von der Ahe Opposed to Dealing With the League.**

President Von der Ahe returned this morning from Cincinnati, where he had been looking after the interests of the Association. When asked how he stood on the proposed compromise with the League, he replied:

"There will be no compromise. Why should we compromise? What have we to gain by it? I am opposed to having anything further to do with the League, for they never have any dealings with anybody without giving the other party the worst of it. The League has brought on this fight and now let them take the consequence. They are writing and telegraphing us for conferences, and not only that but are getting others to write and talk to us to endeavor to get us to confer with them. I have one letter suggesting that as I do not like John I. Rogers and Al Spalding that a conference can be held without them, Byrne, Robinson and Reach being named as the men who could represent the League in the matter.

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**BEAUTIFUL SPRING HEADWEAR.**

**The Opening Display of the New York Millinery Emporium Unsurpassed.**

Among the handsome displays of millinery for this spring is that of the New York Millinery Emporium, 812 North Broadway, where hats, bonnets and toques of every style and color may be seen in the greatest profusion. A special feature of this house is the manufacture of millinery, beautiful hand work, shirring and puffing, and cording entering into most of their confections. This is a very important consideration, since it is so much the fashion now to have hats and bonets to match the costumes, and with crepe and guaze, and ribbon of every conceivable shade and hue, it is no difficult task for this house, at short notice, to manufacture a chapeau to the Queen's taste.

Among the many pretty things exhibited here a very pretty combination of pink and black may be seen in shirred crepe de chine, with border of black velvet overlaid with straw open-work braid; the crown is of the pink crepe bordered with black velvet, a pompon in front of ribbon and ostrich tips. A charming little toque is shown in shirred silk, with folds of velvet of the same shade, a little dash of delicate color in bows of rose pink ribbon, intermingled with Prince of Wales tips of the gray. A very stylish little Gypsy hat, pointed in front and drooping at the sides, is of poppy red crepe, shirred, the brim bordered with black velvet poufs, and ornamented both back and front with black lace and clusters of red silk poppies. A very unique shape may be found in a Paris hat, of tan-colored straw, with a border of open work and corrugated brim, corded on the inside edge with brown velvet, the crown finished with bows of ribbon in old rose shading to brown, tying in a cluster of rose buds with their green foliage. A Cleopatra toque is of green open work straw, pointed in front and faced with beige green velvet; about the crown is banded folds of the velvet and ribbon, with bows of the velvet at the back, corded with gold, a bunch of buttercups in front and a gilded asp coiled in the ribbons and velvets.

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**BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS.**

**Mrs. Leander Luts' Death Drives Her Husband to Suicide.**

Coroner Woods was called to O'Fallon, north of East St. Louis, to-day, to investigate a suicide case. Leander Lurtz, a wealthy young farmer of O'Fallon Township, was driven to suicide by grief at the veath of his wife, who died a few weeks ago. He ended his life by blowing out his brains with a shot-gun. It is supposed that he fired the fatal shot Saturday night or early yesterday morning, but his body was not discovered until late yesterday afternoon. It was found lying in a field on the farm. The suicide had held the gun to his head in such a way that the top of his skull was blown off and his brains scattered on the ground.

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**FAILED FOR $200,000.**

**The Milwaukee Bridge & Iron Co. Goes Under—A New York Burst.**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 23.—The Milwaukee Bridge & Iron-works, of which Messrs. Keepers and Riddell were the principal stockholders, made an assignment this morning. The bond of Hamilton Townsend, the assignee, was fixed at $200,000. The liabilities of the company are reported at about $200,000. The assets are not given, but it is claimed they will exceed the liabilities. Slow collections caused the failure.

CONFESSED JUDGMENT.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Luchs Bros., manufacturers and dealers in ladies' wear, at 137 Green street, confessed judgments to-day aggregating $7,964.

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Go hand in hand. One is impossible without the other. Therefore if you would be happy surround yourselves with comfort. By our liberal system of selling goods we enable everybody to do this without feeling the cost. This is SPECIAL SALE WEEK, and those who wish anything in our line would do well to avail themselves of this great opportunity to purchase goods at their own prices. We do not offer to take

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In our house," because discount MEANS NOTHING. It only shows that they ADD A BIG PRICE and take off a SMALL DISCOUNT. Below are some of OUR prices:

Two Rooms Furnished Complete ........For $67.00
Three Rooms Furnished Complete ......For $107.00
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Great Installment House, 1128-1130 Olive Street.

Call Early and Avoid the Rush.

Special Inducements to Parties Starting Housekeeping. Store Open Every Evening Until 9.

**They Died Together.**

DES MOINES, Io., March 23.—R. S. Hatton, a man 40 years of age and of high social and business standing, and a woman whose name is given as Mrs. Russell of Kansas City, were found dead this morning in a room on Walnut street. They were asphyxiated by escaping gas.

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Caution!—There have recently been issued several cheap reprints of the 1847 edition of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, an edition long since superannuated. These books are given various names,—"Webster's Unabridged," "The Great Webster's Dictionary," "Webster's Big Dictionary," "Webster's Encyclopedic Dictionary," etc., etc.

Many announcements concerning them are very misleading, as the body of each, from A to Z, is 44 years old, and printed from cheap plates made by photographing the old pages.

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Five Floors, One Acre Each.

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## GRAND FULL-DRESS EXHIBITION To-Morrow and Wednesday.

*You are invited.*

As announced in Sunday's papers, our great Easter display takes place to-morrow and the next day.

In our Millinery and Cloak Parlors the exhibit will surpass all former seasons in variety and elegance.

Ladies who missed our first spring opening will again have an opportunity to view all the leading styles for 1891. This display will include every department in the house.

The Dress Fabrics Department will make a grand exhibit of every leading novelty of the season, many belonging exclusively to the Wm. Barr D. G. Co.

The display in high class novelties in Wash Fabrics should be seen by every woman of taste in the city. It will be something worth remembering.

Don't miss the Spring Hosiery Display. See the novelties in children's and ladies' full-dress hose.

A grand show of Bric-a-Brac, Cut Glass and fine China Wares and Potteries for wedding gifts. The special sale will be continued all the week.

There will be a lovely display in Easter novelties in the Book and Art Embroidery Departments. Exquisitely painted Panama canvas glove and handkerchief boxes in fleur de lis, orchids and sweet brier, book covers, Easter calendars, and many other novelties for Easter gifts.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend Barr's great Easter exhibition to-morrow and Wednesday.

*Barr's Easter Display is Always the Event of the Season in the World of Fashion.*



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All the Beautiful Pattern Hats and Bonnets,

All the Elegant Foreign Novelties,

All the Artistic Decorations,

Will Be on Exhibition

LADIES Don't Miss the Grandest Millinery Display ever given in this country. Ask any one of the thousands that have visited us as to the truthfulness of this assertion.

SONNENFELD'S


## FIRE-BUGS' WORK.

**New York, Brooklyn and Newark Have Narrow Escapes.**

**TENEMENT HOUSES IGNITED, BUT THE BLAZES WERE DISCOVERED.**

**Six Wonderful Pieces of Good-Fortune That Saved Hundreds of Lives—One Incendiary Captured—Hildebrand's Revenge—Burned His Own House—Other Blazes.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Following close upon the tenement-house horror at Hester and Allen streets, in which four persons perished, and the East Twenty-ninth street tenement fire, which cost two more lives, with a strong suspicion that incendiarism was the cause of each fire, came reports to the police yesterday of two clear and indubitable cases of attempted incendiarism of a particularly atrocious kind, a third case almost as clear, and a fourth in which there is good reason to believe that such scoundrelly work was planned. In all, the lives of fifty-eight families, comprising nearly two hundred persons, were placed in jeopardy.

At 2½ Catherine street a policeman caught a man in the act of setting fire to a tenement house in which over a dozen families reside. The fire was quickly smothered and the fire bug was landed in the police station.

Another fiendish plot to destroy life and property was discovered in the tenement, 243 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, which is occupied by over 100 people. Chas. Balz, a barkeeper, smelled smoke when he went home at 2 a. m. He aroused the inmates and a search revealed the fact that a heap of rubbish under the stairs was burning. The plot evidently was to cut off escape by the stairs. The fire escapes are somewhat deficient. The inmate were horrified to find that the knobs to the front doors of this and three adjoining tenements had been removed so that the people would have been trapped like rats.

Another case was at 212 East Sixty-first street. A policeman saw smoke coming out of the cellar at 2 a. m. Several colored families in the house were aroused. It was found that fire had been kindled in a coal-bin and also in a pile of wood in another part of the cellar.

A fire was discovered Saturday afternoon in the cellar of a tenement, 846 Second avenue. It was near some oil barrels and doubtless incendiary. A tenant located the fire in time to save the building and its occupants.

The Brooklyn incendiaries are still at work. Last night a fire was found to have been kindled under the stairway in the basement of the tenement, 299 Myrtle avenue, occupied by several families. It was in a store-room which is generally kept locked. The lock had been broken. The people in the house were panic-stricken, but all got out safely and the fire was extinguished without doing much damage.

Newark also has its fire-bugs. Late last night fire was discovered on the second floor of a tenement, 21 Boyd street, Newark. The flames rapidly communicated to two adjoining tenements. There were about a dozen Polish families in the three tenements. There were many narrow escapes, and two persons who are missing are supposed to have perished in the flames. The buildings were burned out. The floor in which the fire was discovered was occupied by Solomon Epstein. His apartments, it is said, had been saturated with oil. The police are making an investigation.


**Ho! All Ye That Hunger.**

Morris' Restaurant and Dairy Lunch Rooms, 1008 Olive street. Popular prices. Open Sundays.


**Reviving Old Scandals.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Ex-Senator Blair of New Hampshire, who has just been appointed Minister to China, came to New York to talk with John Russell Young about the needs of Americans in China and the duties of the office. Mr. Blair said he had not made up his mind whether or not he would accept the office. His anti-Chinese speeches have been recalled and reprinted, he knew, but he did not think they would exert any influence on the situation.


**Money Saved to Building Contractors**

On Rubber Hose. Call and see us. Day Rubber Co., 415 North Fourth street.


**An Oleomargariner's Suicide.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 23.—Herman Bodes, 40 years old, bookkeeper of the Providence Dairy Co., whose oleomargarine factory was on Thursday seized by the United States revenue officers for alleged violation of law, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself at Nayatt Point.

**LAWRENCE BARRETT.**

**Funeral Services Conducted by Rev. Thos. Sherman—Burial at Cohassett.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Lawrence Barrett's funeral services were conducted this morning in one of the parlors of the Windsor Hotel by the Rev. Thomas Sherman, and were of the simplest character, consisting only of the prayers for the dead. The casket was of rosewood, covered with black cloth. On its lid lay two floral gifts. One a cross of white lilies from Mary Anderson and the other a wreath of roses from W. W. Blackmar of Boston. About fifty persons were present during the services.

The services lasted just ten minutes, and at their close the body of the tragedian was at once taken to the Grand Central Depot, where it was placed in a funeral car on the 11 a. m. train of the New Haven train for Boston. Those who accompanied the remains to the depot were Judge Daly, Lawrence Hutton, Louis Aldrich and E. J. Wendell. Judge Daly did not board the train, but the others accompanied the family, Mr. Hutton, representing the Players' Club, and Mr. Aldrich the actor's fund.

The party will stop at Boston to-night. At 10 o'clock to-morrow morning a train will leave that city for Cohassett with the cortege on board and the last rites for the dead will be performdd there.

DIED TO-DAY.

LONDON, March 23.—Sir Patrick Mac Chombach de Colquihon, Baronet, LL. D., died to-day.

THE FUNERAL OF JOS. E. JOHNSTON.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—The funeral of Joseph E. Johnston will take place to-morrow morning from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, after which the body will be removed to Baltimore for burial in Green Mountain Cemetery. The active pall-bearers will be sons of ex-Confederates, and the honorary pall-bearers are to be John T. Morgan of Alabama, Senator John W. Daniels of Virginia, J. L. M. Curry, Gen. John G. Parker, United States Army, Charles W. Field, Harry Heth, Rear Admiral C. R. P. Rogers, Rear Admiral W. G. Temple, H. G. Wright, Benj. W. Brice, Ascher Anderson of Baltimore, Edwin G. Harris, J. C. Bancroft Davis and Pay Director James Walmaugh of the navy.

Among the callers at the residence of the General yesterday were Gen. Schofield, the head of the army, Admiral Rodgers of the navy and Gen. Rosecranz. The following telegram was received from P. T. Sherman on behalf of the family of Gen. Sherman:

> The family of Gen. Sherman desire to tender to the relatives of Gen. Johnston assurances of their profound sorrow and sympathy.

Gen. Johnston was one of Gen. Sherman's pall-bearers in New York.

A COMEDIAN'S END.

CINCINNATI, O., March 23.—John A. Machay, an operatic comedian, playing with the Duff Opera Co., died here last night of pneumonia. His remains will be shipped to Brooklyn where his mother is now ill. Machay married Grace, a sister of Alice Atherton, but owing to domestic troubles, which he never told, his wife went to England. Miss Tempest of the company is also very ill.

ONE OF HOUSTON'S MEN.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 23.—Geo. Stafford died of pneumonia in a cheap boarding-house in this city last night. He was 90 years old and had been in Texas 60 years, fighting his way from Louisiana to the Rio Grand and back. He was in the Texas war of Independence, the Mexican war and he fought for months under Sam Houston.

SENATOR EDMUNDS TO RESIGN.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 23.—A statement appears in the *Tribune*, believed to be from ex-Senator Pierce, now editor of that paper, that Senator Edmunds expects to resign before the next meeting of the Senate.

FOR A DEFEATED WESTERNER.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The *Sun* this morning says that Secretary Foster has expressed a desire that Chas. E. Coon shall be appointed to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Gen. Batcheller as assistant Secretary. The President, however, does not want a New York man in the Treasury Department. The President thinks the place should go to one of the defeated Western Congressmen.

IT IS NOT A LICENSE TO SELL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Acting Secretary of the Treasury Nittleton has issued a new form of revenue liquor stamps on account of the complaints from several sections of the country that the issuing of licenses to saloon keepers has led many people in prohibition towns to believe that under these licenses they can sell liquor in defiance of local laws. Across the face of the new stamps, which will go into use July 1, is printed:

> This stamp is simply a receipt for a tax paid the Government, and does not exempt the holder from any penalty or punishment provided for by the law of any State for carrying on said business within such State, and does not authorize the commencement nor the continuance of such business contrary to the laws of such State, or in places prohibited by municipal law. See Sec. 3243, Revised Statutes United States.

## WILL CHURCH THEM

**Rev. R. Heber Newton and Rev. W. S. Rainsford to Be Disciplined.**

**THEY HAVE TALKED TOO FREELY AND HAVE BEEN TOO LIBERAL.**

**A Unitarian Invited to Preach in an Episcopal Church on Good Friday—Protesting Fellow Clergymen—Trouble in Bishop Potter's Diocese—Women Ordained Elders—The Churches.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Some clergymen of this town propose to discipline two of the best known and most popular pastors of New York—the Rev. W. S. Rainsford, Rector of St. George's Parish, and the Rev. R. Heber Newton of All Souls' Church. If these disciplinarians contrive to curb the independence of these two preachers they will, so to speak, twing several clergymen of lesser note and ability who also are located in the Diocese of New York of which the Rev. Henry C. Potter is Bishop. Their offense seems to be too great "liberality" of views. The "liberality" of Mr. Rainsford in inviting ministers of denominations other than the Episcopal to to occupy his pulpit a year ago drew out a protest from his brother clergy which Mr. Rainsford, however, saw fit to ignore. In arranging the series of Lenten services at St. George's for the season, Mr. Rainsford went so far as to invite not only non-Episcopalian or "dissenting" clergymen to participate therein, but it is alleged that he let down the bars of the ecclesiastical vocation to such an extent as to admit a "heretic" to the sanctuary and privileges of the church. Furthermore, Mr. Rainsford took part in his clerical capacity in a service at Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, and for these and kindred offenses against the canons of the church it is deemed expedient that the rector of St. George's should be admonished if not disciplined.

TALKED TOO MUCH.

The utterances of the Rev. R. Heber Newton from time to time on topics of more or less public and religious interest have been the occasion of apprehension and animadversion in certain quarters. The reserved right of Mr. Newton to deliver himself of any opinion however ultra or advanced as an individual is not denied, but it is held by the projectors of the present movement that as long as he continues a clergyman in full and recognized standing in the Episcopal Church, his utterance should correspond to the accepted teachings of that communion.

The influence of the example of Drs. Newton and Rainsford is held to be pernicious, it is said, particularly in view of the statement that the latter has invited a Unitarian to occupy the pulpit of St. George's and preach to the people of that parish on Good Friday. To meet this emergency, to counteract the effect of the doings of the offending clergymen and to set the seal of disapproval and condemnation on the alleged uncanonical and unclerical practices complained of, a protest has been prepared which is now being signed by the clergy of the diocese of New York. When the document shall have been fully signed it is proposed to give it extensive publicity, with a view not only to making known the position of the church and the remainder of the clergy in relation to the course pursued by Drs. Newton and Rainsford, and their sympathizers and imitators, but to the securing of their repression.

ON THE QUIET.

The move thus far has been conducted very quietly, the knowledge that it was in progress having been confined to the clergy of the diocese whose signatures to the protest had been requested or were desired. It is deemed not altogether unlikely, however, that the concensus of opinion in opposition to the practices indicated may result in action being taken looking to the disciplining of the offending clergymen.

In any event it is calculated that the action of the clergy of the diocese informally putting their views on record in this connection will result in a deliverance on the part of the general convention to be held in Baltimore in October, 1892, which will compel clergymen either to conform their preaching and personal conduct to the canonical law and prescribed rubrics of the Episcopal church or withdraw themselves from its communion.

WOMEN ORDAINED ELDERS.

DEXTER, Mo., March 23.—Mrs. Mary E. Miller and Misses Carrie L. Carter and Alice Smith were yesterday ordained as ruling elders of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church here. This is a new departure in church government.

CHANGED THE CREED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—The recent United States Minister to Japan reports that the native Japanese Presbyterian Church has materially changed the Presbyterian creed by substituting the twenty-fourth article of faith of the English Presbyterian Church for those of Dort and Heidelberg, and making an addition to the apostles' creed, touching upon the personality of Christ and the powers of the Holy Ghost. Other changes are to follow.

THE LITTLE ROCK MESSIAH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 23.—Preacher Thomas J. Shelton, deposed from the First Christian Church of this city for his Schweinfurthism teachings, is now living at the Brack mansion with "Sister" Lucy Brack. He has abandoned his own wife and children, who are being cared for by the church, and says that he and Lucy will go to Kansas City soon and start a mission. His successor in the pulpit here is a blind preacher. Shelton became a crank through reading "Robert Elsmere" and Tolstoi's works. He and his wife entered into a covenant of chastity with Mr. and Mrs. Brack, which was followed by the developments reported.

MRS. ROUNDS ON THE WHITE CROSS.

MONTICELLO, Ill., March 23.—Mrs. J. T. Rounds of Chicago, President of the Illinois W. C. T. U., delivered two addresses yesterday, giving a history of the White Cross movement. A vigorous temperance crusade is being waged in this locality.

A FREEDMAN'S COLLEGE IN SEDALIA.

SEDALIA, Mo., March 23.—Rev. Hartzell of Cincinnati, Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational Society, preached here yesterday and said that nearly all of the $200,000 had been raised to build the college for the colored people in this city and that work would soon begin.


**The Budweiser Restaurant,**

Sixth, near Locust, is now under the management of Mr. Pierre Lambert, who serves the best the market affords and does it promptly.


**THE WEATHER CROP BULLETIN.**

**Snow Very Beneficial to the Wheat Crop—Soil Too Wet for Seeding.**

The weather-crop bulletin of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture, Columbia, Mo., in co-operation with the U. S. Signal Service, for the week ending March 20, 1891, is composed of sixty-three reports. The rainfall has been normal and the snow which covered the ground in the northern part of the State has been very beneficial to the wheat crop.

The temperature and sunshine were normal during the week.

Wheat—The wheat crop has apparently wintered well in all sections of the State and the prospect for a good crop appear to be much better than at this time last year. In some few places the alternate freezing and thawing during the last of February and the first of March did some slight damage, but in other places there has been sufficient snow to protect the wheat from serious injury.

CONDITION OF THE SOIL.

The ground throughout the State is generally too wet for seeding to begin.

The northwest section has received more precipitation than last year and begins the season with more moisture in the ground than it has had for several years.

The condition of all crops is reported favorable in that section.

The southwest section reports that spring seeding will be slightly delayed by the wet soil.

The southeast section has not received excessive rains it as did last year, and in many counties spring seeding is being pushed with vigor.

The peach crop has been injured by frost in in many counties of the State, the greatest damage being reported from Nodaway, where the prospect is given as 20 per cent.

The following estimates have been made up from reports received up to date by the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture: Condition of small fruit, 88 per cent; condition of apples, 84 per cent; condition of peaches, 69 per cent.

Spring plowing began in the southern counties in February, but has been interrupted by wet weather. Very little oats have been sown.

Stock is healthy and in excellent condition, but has not yet been turned on pasture.


**Tourists,**

Whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists.


**$15,000,000 in Soap.**

HOUSTON, Tex., March 23.—The biggest soap manufacturing concern in the world has been organized here. The corporation will have a capital of $15,000,000 and proposes to establish plants to cost from $50,000 to $200,000 in Houston, New Orleans and other Southern cities in the cotton belt.


**Brain Workers**

**Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate.**

DR. C. H. GOODMAN, St. Louis, Mo., says: *"Have used it for several years with especially good results in nervous prostration, the result of mental efforts, also in sleepless conditions of brain workers."*


## DEPARTED ST. LOUISANS.

**THEIR SPIRITS CALLED UP LAST NIGHT IN A WEST END HALL.**

**Prof. J. Frank Baxter Reports Conversations Held With Persons Who in Their Lifetime Were Well Known in This City—The Medium Interviewed.**

Prof. J. Frank Baxter, Spiritualistic lecturer of Boston, who has appeared at Howard's Hall, Olive street and Garrison avenue for the past two Sunday evenings, before large and intelligent audiences, has created much interest locally by reporting conversations with well known departed St. Louisans. Last evening the hall was crowded, and at the termination of the lecture the seance began. The lights were allowed to remain burning as usual, and the lecturer did not go into a trance.

He stood right in front of the audience when conveying messages from the spirits, and there was none of the usual accompanying business. One name he mentioned was that of a lady who during her lifetime was the leading belle of St. Louis, and nationally known because of her great beauty. Prof. Baxter spoke the lady's full name, and told several occurrences in her life. What he said in regard to the lady was vouched for as corect by a gentleman present. The lady, the medium told, was the wife of a well known railroad man. The spirit of the gentleman who ran the hotel at Second and Walnut streets for years, addressed the audience through Mr. Baxter and spoke of things that happened during his lifetime. They were corroborated by a near relative who was present.

A husband, prominent in business circles in St. Louis during his lifetime and who has been dead about a year, desired to say something to his wife. The latter was pointed out by the medium from among the audience.

During these manifestations the full names of the spirits as they were on earth were given.

HOW THE MEDIUM OPERATES.

Prof. Baxter was found at Capt. Brown's house, 3561½ Olive street, and asked how he explained the visitations of the spirits. The professor said:

"It comes from impression altogether. I first feel that something unusual is happening, and then names and events begin to form in my mind. Not clearly at first, but before long I can speak the name in entirety. It may seem strange, but I believe in spirits being able to visit the earth and have been a medium even since I was a child. I do not go into trances, but receive my impressions from an invisible spirit whose presence I know only by a peculiar force which I experience. Often when I am lecturing I feel the invisible power, but as my lectures are from manuscript I can go on as a machine, ignoring the impressions that are being forced upon my mind and keeping them from the audience until the revelations or seance begins. I always ignore such names as John, Mary, Jennie, etc., because they are too indefinite and would create a hostile opinion of spiritualistic work generally. I claim that spirits do visit the earth and that they come here from spirit land to communicate with friends or relatives. My seances are always open to the public, just as are my lectures, the latter being given first. I do not use a cabinet or any other device, such as slate, knock under the table and the like."

DID NOT KNOW THEM.

"Professor, were you acquainted with any of these people's names before you came to St. Louis?"

"No. When I came here I did not know of a person whom I have materialized. There were incidents and occurrences connected with their lives of which it would have been impossible for me to learn in such a short time. They were all strangers and their identity was revealed with their name. I merely tell what the spirit has to say, and if there is anyone present who knew the person whose spirit it was when on earth, well and good. I am merely used as a speaking machine by the spirits. The whole matter is as wonderful to me as it is to anyone."

Prof. Baxter goes back to Boston to-morrow, but has promised to return to St. Louis for the month of June.


"IT goes right to the spot," said an old man, who was rubbing in Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment to relieve rheumatism.


**Workingmen's Self-Culture Club.**

The programme of exercises for the Workingmen's Self-Culture Club for the ensuing week is as follows: The Civics Club will meet on the South Side with Mr. Plank Monday evening for the study of the American Constitution. They will meet on the North Side Tuesday evening with Mr. Sheldon for the study of "Our Municipal Goverment," as illustrated by the Mayor's message, the special topics to be, "The Water-works and the Police System of St. Louis."

The choral branch of the club will meet at the South Side with Prof. Pommer Wednesday evening. The working girls' branch of the club will meet on the North Side Monday evening for their studies in Tennyson. They will meet again Thursday evening and have a "Dickens Entertainment" given by Miss Sessinghaus. Their entertainment on the South Side this week will be an illustrated lecture on travel, "Pictures of Paris," by Mr. Lefkow. The workingmen's branch of the club will have their lecture on the South Side Thursday evening. Subject: "What should be the Ideal Business Man?" by Mr. N. O. Nelson. The entertainment for them on the North Side will be on Friday evening, "Popular Readings" by Mr. F. N. Crunden of the Public Library. The working girls' branch of the club made a visit last Sunday with Mr. Plank to the Art Museum and had a general talk on their efforts, in the wood carving room, by Prof. Felix Adler.

The North Side section is at 1532 Franklin avenue and the South Side section is at 2004½ South Broadway. The entertainments are always free to workingmen and their families.


SCHOOL teachers use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It saves their throats. Price only 25c.


**"NO LADIES IN TEMPLE."**

**The Remark Which Was the Undoing of Assistant Superintendent Vanvleet.**

GAINESVILLE, Tex., March 23.—Several weeks ago Assistant Superintendent Vanvleet of the Santa Fe Railroad, a man 50 years old, was charged with having said that there were "no ladies in Temple." Vanvleet was waited upon by a committee and informed that he must leave town in twelve hours and not return except at his peril. The higher officials of the Santa Fe were highly offended at the outrage, and it was believed by many of the Temple citizens that the company would move their shops from that city. Leading business men petitioned the General Superintendent of the road to send Mr. Vanvleet back to that town, assuring his protection. The petition was granted, and last week the assistant superintendent returned from his home in Michigan, accompanied by his family, and again took up his official duties. But it seems there was fear among the road officials that Vanvleet might be interfered with again, and several private detectives were employed to keep watch, one of whom stayed by the side of Mr. Vanvleet all the time. Last night about 10 o'clock while Vanvleet, accompanied by his private guard, was on his way from his office they were suddenly confronted by seven masked men with drawn revolvers who made Vanvleet and the detective throw up their hands. The two men were marched before the White Caps to the edge of the city, where the detective was stripped of his clothing and terribly lashed with whips. The assistant superintendent pleaded with the men to spare him. They finally consented to do so, with the understanding that he was to leave town at once never to return. The guard, more dead than alive, was reclothed and marched off in one direction, while Vanvleet was compelled to go in an opposite direction. The official was driven south several miles to a small station, where he took a train for Galveston. The detective was also notified that if he showed himself again he would be killed on sight.


Try the Budweiser Restaurant, Sixth and Locust. All the delicacies of the season.


**War on Gambling in Omaha.**

OMAHA, Neb., March 23.—The gambling dens of the city were raided yesterday and more than 300 prisoners fill the station. In police circles it is asserted that this is merely the beginning of a regular war to be waged against all gambling houses.


SICK HEADACHE—Carter's Little Liver Pills

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Children Cry for PITCHER'S CASTORIA


**Clubs Are Trumps.**

Herman Kuthe, a machinist, employed at the Eagle Iron-works, bowled up yesterday and made a nuisance of himself wherever he went. The proprietor of the saloon at 2100 Shenandoah street remonstrated and Kuthe drew a revolver. Officer Schnitker was called in and Kuthe fired at him and ran out. Several shots were exchanged between them without either being hit, when the officer resorted to his old reliable club and knocked Mr. Kuthe out of time at the first blow. The machinist will have a hard time keeping out of the penitentiary.


**We Believe**

That S. S. S. is without an equal as a remedy for malarial poison. It cleanses the system of all impurities.

I SUFFERED FOR 3 YEARS WITH MALARIAL POISON. MY APPETITE FAILED, AND I WAS GREATLY REDUCED IN FLESH.

*I TRIED THE MERCURY AND POTASH TREATMENT, AND CONTINUED TO GET WORSE UNTIL LIFE HAD LOST ALL CHARMS*

S. S. S. MADE A COMPLETE AND PERMANENT CURE, AND MY HEALTH IS BETTER NOW THAN IT EVER WAS.

J. A. RICE, OTTAWA, KAN.

Book on blood and Skin diseases free.

The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.



I took Cold,

I took Sick,

I TOOK

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

RESULT:

I take My Meals,

I take My Rest,

AND I AM VIGOROUS ENOUGH TO TAKE ANYTHING I CAN LAY MY HANDS ON; getting fat too, FOR Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda NOT ONLY CURED MY Incipient Consumption BUT BUILT ME UP, AND IS NOW PUTTING

FLESH ON MY BONES

AT THE RATE OF A POUND A DAY. I TAKE IT JUST AS EASILY AS I DO MILK." SUCH TESTIMONY IS NOTHING NEW. SCOTT'S EMULSION IS DOING WONDERS DAILY. TAKE NO OTHER.



THIS CUT IS NEITHER A JOKE NOR A CARTOON BUT THE TRADE MARK OF

HOFFMAN'S HARMLESS HEADACHE POWDERS.

Positively the Best. Absolutely Harmless.

PRICE, 25 CENTS.



**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.**

OFFICE Platt & Thornburgh Paint & Glass Co., March 17, 1891.—The annual meeting of stockholders of this company will be held at office of company, 620 Franklin av., April 6, for election of 3 directors to serve for ensuing year and such other business as may be brought before them.

W. H. THORNBURGH, President.

H. BOARDMAN, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Car Co. for the election of a Board of Directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, 3023 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., Tuesday, April 14, 1891, between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock a. m. GEO. J. KOBUSCH, Secy.

St. Louis, March 21, 1891.

SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.—A special meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railway Co. is hereby called to be held at the general office of the company, Roe building, corner of Broadway and Pine street, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., at 9 o'clock a. m., on Thursday, May 7, 1891, for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposed increase of the bonded indebtedness of the company by the issue of not exceeding fifty million dollars ($50,000,000) of consolidated mortgage 4 per cent bonds; to retire the present outstanding bonded indebtedness of the company, for the funding of its floating debt, and to provide money for the further completion, equipment and repair of its railroad, and for such other purposes as may be lawful.

By order of the Board of Directors.

A. MANVEL, President.

H. W. GARDINER, Secretary.

St. Louis, March 5, 1891.

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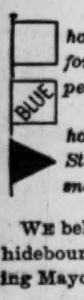
MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1891.

### AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

OLYMIC—The Liliputians.
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—"Bluebeard."
POPE'S—"A Dark Secret."
STANDARD—Louise Dempsey's Burlesque Co.
HAVLIN'S—"The Irish Corporal."




*Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missouri: Rain; stationary temperature.*

*Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for St. Louis: Fair, followed by rain or snow; colder.*

WE believe that even a large number of hidebound Democrats will object to making Mayor NOONAN "Czar of St. Louis."

MR. BLAINE's reported determination to let President HARRISON have the Republican presidential nomination again is another proof of his smartness. The next Republican campaign will not be a picnic.

THE election of the Independent municipal ticket would give assurance that boodle schemes could not be put through the Municipal Assembly and that only good men could be appointed to the offices at the disposal of the Mayor. This is the assurance which citizens of St. Louis want.

THE rapidity with which the prominent figures on both sides of the great conflict between the North and South are passing away brings a realizing sense of the time which has elapsed since the close of the war. It should also bring a realizing sense of the folly of keeping alive issues which were settled so many years ago.

THE absolute mastery of Mayor NOONAN over the local Democrats is shown by the fact that he not only was able to dictate a slate to the party organization, but has whipped into the humble support of his candidates the party organ which in the Mayoralty campaign denounced him as a hoodlum unworthy of the confidence or association of respectable citizens.

IN the extent and variety of special Sunday features there was practically only one Sunday paper in the city yesterday, and that was the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. The table of contents on the first column of the fourth page was simply a feast of timely, seasonable and interesting reading, such as no other paper pretended to give. In local news the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH was about a week ahead of its competitors.

THE report that Gen. JOSEPH E. JOHNSTON contracted the illness which caused his death while attending the funeral of Gen. SHERMAN may be regarded as a remarkable instance of the part one man may play in shaping the experience of another. It was strange that the man who was pitted against Gen. JOHNSTON in the late war, and caused the defeat and surrender of his army, should years after have been the innocent cause of his death.

THERE are three Council tickets in the field, and all of them favor the sale of valuable franchises. But only one of them is pledged to sell franchises openly to the highest bidder and for the benefit of the city. As such a reform would ruin the boss business, the two boss-made tickets stand for the policy of continuing the old system of selling franchises at private sale on very private terms for the benefit of rings.

THE Farmers' Alliance did not secuer the legislation it desired by taking charge of the Democratic nominations and electing a large majority of the Missouri House. But it failed as signally in Kansas, where it nominated and elected a majority of straight-out Farmers' Alliance men. A holdover Senate was in the way in both States, and to remove that obstacle it will have to make its own ticket and elect Senators on its own platform next time. So long as it runs with or relies on either of the old party organizations it will find enough Burkses and McGinnisses seated to defeat its programme.

The letter from an advertiser in yesterday's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH suggesting that the advertisers of St. Louis should settle the conflicting claims of advertising agents of city newspapers in regard to circulation by bringing those claims to the test of hard facts has met with much approval and with no objection. The only possible reason why any newspaper should refuse to submit its claims to such a test, would be in the case of a newspaper which had been obtaining advertising under false pretenses and dreaded an exposure of the fraud. We do not say that this is the case with any newspaper in St. Louis, but if it is, it is only an additional reason for making known the truth. Advertisers who pay good money for their announcements have a right to know what they are getting for their money; they have a right to demand proved circulation, not claimed circulation, or, in other words, facts, not wind.

THE *Westliche Post* promptly accepts the suggestion made by an advertiser in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH yesterday, relating to the appointment of a committee of experts to examine the relative circulation of the St. Louis papers. The *Westliche Post* says:

The *Westliche Post* has 16,000 Sunday subscribers (about 1,000 more than at the beginning of the year), which we are ready to prove by our books and lists to an expert, about whose appointment the advertising public ought to agree at once in their own interests, as the POST-DISPATCH yesterday advised.

### THE QUESTION OF CIRCULATION.

**A Pertinent Suggestion From a Leading Advertiser.**

From the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

The following letter has been received by the POST-DISPATCH from one of the prominent advertisers of St. Louis, a merchant who spends many thousands of dollars every year in advertising in the St. Louis papers, and whose name we withhold for the present at his own request:

*To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:*

In your issue of Friday, March 20, you make editorial claims of a circulation in St. Louis every Sunday morning exceeding 80,000 papers. Admitting your statement to be true (I do not doubt it) I am still in doubt as to the city and country circulation of your competitors. I am a large advertiser, and of course the representatives of the three big dailies solicit my business. The statements of these gentlemen are so conflicting that I have resolved to make a suggestion which seems to me both practical and just. It is this: I am willing to be one of a number of say ten or twenty of our largest local advertisers to contribute a liberal amount, say $250 each, to obtain the services of two or three experts, to make thorough examination of the circulation of the newspapers periodically and to give that information to this syndicate in detail. I claim that advertisers have a perfect right to know what value they obtain for their money. As merchants, we are compelled to submit our goods to inspection before we can make a sale—why not the newspapers? The buying of advertising space, as it is conducted in some instances in St. Louis, is a "pig in the bag" operation. We have the windy claims of advertising agents as the only guarantee of the value we are to receive. It seems to me, as large buyers of your space, we have a clear right to know what quantity and what quality of goods you deliver for our money. There is nothing original or new in this assumption. Reliable newspapers in Chicago, New York, Boston and other cities are glad of an opportunity to show up their circulation—why not in St. Louis? If the POST-DISPATCH prints its circulation and the other papers through their representatives claim, as in some cases, double that amount, what am I to do? How am I to decide where to spend my money? I have given this matter considerable thought of late, and your editorial notice of last evening determined me to make this suggestion. What do you, Mr. Editor, think of it? Are you willing to submit your circulation to experts, to be selected by the merchants? Please publish these few lines in the interests of your patrons and greatly oblige, yours very truly, MERCHANT.

St. Louis, March 21, 1891.

In answer to the above letter we beg to say that the POST-DISPATCH recognizes fully the justice of the suggestion it contains. The rates of advertising in the newspapers are always based on circulation and when a newspaper refuses to submit its claims of circulation to a fair and disinterested proof such refusal is an admission that the claims will not bear such a test. The advertiser who is compelled to show his goods to the purchaser before getting his price for them has a right to demand of the newspapers that he shall be allowed to satisfy himself by a thorough examination as to the value of their circulation before he pays his money for advertising.

THE POST-DISPATCH cordially and unreservedly accepts the suggestion to submit its circulation to an examination of experts to be selected by the advertisers. It is ready at any time to submit for such examination every book, paper and record in its office relating to its circulation, and to rest its claims for advertising patronage, not on its own unsupported assertions, but on the facts as discovered and verified by any committee appointed for that purpose.

THE POST-DISPATCH.

St. Louis, March 21, 1891.

### ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

E. L. L., Trenton, Ill.—Send your list of coins and the values will be given.

HYPNOTIST.—Addresses of private persons are not published in this column.

FARMER.—The highest premium placed on gold during the rebellion was $2.65.

M. D.—Your guardian certainly has authority to compel you to perform household work.

A. K.—The styles for negligee shirts for summer wear are not yet known to the public.

READER.—The association you mention has not made returns to the State Insurance Commissioner.

K. K. K.—Consult an attorney as to your right to manufacture machines under the formula in your possession.

SUBSCRIBER.—The son of American citizens born while his parents are traveling in Europe is eligible to the presidency.

**The Widow Who Considers Is Lost.**

From the Binghamton Leader.

Mrs. Boggs: "Yes, I am a widow for the second time in my life."

Miss Jagg: "And will you marry again?"

Mrs. Boggs: "Well, I'm considering whether it would be wise for me to be so foolish."

**She Was Very Dear to Him.**

From the Detroit Free Press.

The wife of a Boston broker sailed for Peru to visit her sister, and when she arrived there she sent a cablegram, which cost him $700, to announce the fact. The most of the message, however, told how her dog fell overboard and could not be saved.


**Mr. F. L. Marshall,**

Representing the POST-DISPATCH on 'Change, will be on the floor during business hours and will call on merchants who desire to make use of the POST-DISPATCH market reports. Telephone 284.


# VACCINATION DAY.

## The Police District Stations Transformed Into Operating Rooms.

### DOCTORS WORKING UNDER THE HEALTH COMMISSIONER'S ORDERS.

**Vigorous Precautions Against a Possible Spread of Small-Pox—The "Ounce of Prevention" Being Officially Administered—Scenes and Incidents at the Stations—Sore Arms for Next Week.**

The various district police stations added a new department to their working force this morning and blossomed out with a medical staff attachment that lent considerable dignity to the scene. The cause of the professional invasion was the order of the Mayor on suggestion of the Board of Health, appointing one physician to each district station for the purpose of vaccinating citizens living in the locality, and of keeping a closer watch on places where the dread disease of small-pox may be known to have broken out. The order went into effect at 9 o'clock this morning, and marks the most active step yet taken to prevent the possibility of a small-pox epidemic. Six physicians reported at the office of the Board of Health at the hour named. They were assigned promptly to their respective posts, each being supplied with 200 vaccine quills from the Board of Health vaccine farm at Kirkwood, done up in packages of ten each, carefully wrapped in cotton and inclosed in air-tight rubber bags. Their instructions were to remain at the stations from 9 a. m. to 12 m., from 2 to 5 p. m., and from 6:30 to 8 p. m. and to prosecute the good work of wholesale vaccination daily until further notice. In the meantime further action was taken through the Board of Health and the Police Department.

GUARDING AGAINST AN EPIDEMIC.

To-day Chief of Police Harrigan received a communication from Chief Sanitary Officer Charles W. Francis, asking that the assistance of the department be given in the work of preventing a small-pox epidemic in the city. In the communication Mr. Francis takes occasion to say:

"During the past week the following have been among the cases of small-pox sent to the Quarantine Hospital: Charles Weibel, from 409 North Levee; Charles Low, 115 South Seventh; Edward Joyce, 18 South Seventh; Baby Farris, 2122 Wash street; Wm. Benner, Work-house, home 116 Sidney street; Fred Farris, 2010 Carr street; John Schaerpf, 1235 North Thirteenth street; Celia Green, 2110 Carr street. The other cases sent to Quarantine were from the City Hospital. My object in writing you this letter is to ask you to instruct the police on the beats on which these cases were found to keep a watch on the localities and if any person is found sick, to at once notify the City Dispensary by telephone, so that the matter can be immediately investigated. Hereafter, as soon as cases are reported to this office, I will send notice to the police station of that district, giving the name of the person removed and the locality, so that a watch can be kept on the infected places."

SCENES AT THE STATIONS.

The scenes following the arrival of the doctors at the police stations this morning was an interesting and picturesque one, and showed that the action of the Board of Health was thoroughly appreciated by the public. There were crowds waiting at each place and in a few moments after the physicians appeared the stations began to assume the appearance of surgical operating rooms, and from that time forward the work of vaccination went merrily on.

The Third District Station, in the thickly populated neighborhood surrounding Seventh and Carr streets, was the first to get down to the active business of vaccinating its constituents. At 10:30 o'clock a young man, bearing all the marks of the budding physician, appeared at the station and presented the following letter to Capt. Joyce:

OFFICE OF HEALTH COMMISSIONER,
ST. LOUIS, March 23, 1891.

*To the Captain Commanding:*

SIR—The bearer, Dr. R. D. Murphy, is authorized by the Health Commissioner, with the concurrence of the Chief of Police, to have headquarters for vaccinating the people of your district in your station. Please extend to him all facilities for conducting his work. Respectfully, SEWARD A. FINNEY, Clerk Board of Health.

"All right, Doctor," said the Police Captain, acknowledging the official order with a salute befitting the gravity of the occasion. "Some of your patients are already waiting for you."

Then turning to the deeply interested turnkey the Captain continued:

"Here, Billy, escort Dr. Murphy up to the assembly room, see that he has everything he needs, and stand ready to give him every assistance through the day. You ought to have on a white shirt, Billy, for we'll be receiving visitors all day."

The old turnkey apologized for not being clad "de rigueur," and then with a grin took the medical staff up stairs. There, on a long table the young doctor laid out his vaccine quills, spread his papers, had "Billy" bring some water and a towel, freshened up the fire and was ready for business. A group of people awaiting vaccination were already on hand, and in a moment the system was in successful operation. The formula of interrogation was very brief and business-like.

"Want to be vaccinated? Yes? Ever been vaccinated before? Did it take? Bare your arm, please. There you are!"

A FAMILY GROUP.

The first detail operated upon was a family group, Mrs. J. H. Piel and her three little boys, from 1828 Blair avenue. The boys had been kept home from school, so as to be on hand bright and early for the municipal vaccination, and they were deeply interested.

Little Johnny Piel, aged 4 years, had the honor of being the first to receive the official vaccine. It was also Johnny's initial appearance as a patient of that description and he was badly rattled. His mother bared his arm and as the doctor approached him Johnny buried his head in her bosom and resigned himself to his awful fate with tears. He was silent until the skin began to wear away under the friction of the vaccine quill, when he gave vent to one or two sobs and kicked his little legs in eloquent protest against the whole performance. But it was over before he knew it, almost, and then Johnny had a picnic studying the blood on his own arm, and watching his two older brothers, Albert, aged 8, and George, aged 11, under the doctor's attention. He plainly enjoyed their supposed agony with intense relish, but when his mother rolled up her own sleeve, and bared a chubby left arm to the shoulder, Johnny was again overcome with horror.

He evidently feared that the vaccinating performance was going to have a fatal effect on her, and his grief at the thought could not be kept within bounds. Only when she passed through the ordeal alive did he calm down, and even then he viewed her scratched arm with much agitation and very evident apprehension of some frightful consequences to follow. When the four comprising the family group had all been operated upon they stood up in line by the stove to "dry" and the three boys studied one another's women with the most profound interest, apparently deeper even than their admiration for the double rank of patrolmen falling in for the 11 o'clock assembly.

The second installment after the Piel family was young John Stites of 1421 Pine street, who had also reported bright and early for vaccination dress-parade. Stites had been vaccinated before, however, and his case was disposed of in very short order. He joined the "drying" congregation around the station stove.

SHE LOST HER NERVE.

Then two little girls crept timidly forward to where Dr. Murphy stood among his vaccine quills. They said their names were Lulu Ramehill and Minnie Neeves, and that they "played in the same yard at Fifteenth and Biddle."

"Do you want to be vaccinated?"

"Yes, sir; please, sir," whispered Lulu, the older of the two, while Minnie's courage was evidently "oozing out" like Bob Acres'. The former rolled up the sleeve of a very soiled dress, and shutting her eyes with a shiver, submitted to the scratching of the quill with much frowning and gnashing of teeth. Her facial expressions were such as to complete Minnie's loss of nerve, and when her turn came she positively refused to "come to the scratch."

"I don't want to be vaccinated!" she protested. "I only came with Lulu. I'll come to-night with my big sister, and we'll be vaccinated together." And despite all the doctor's persuasion she could not be induced to follow Lulu's example, but stood behind her companion at the stove with great trepidation and a most pronounced case of panic.

CON SULLIVAN'S SACRIFICE.

By this time the vaccinating matinee was getting decidedly interesting. Partly to be "in the push" and partly to give Minnie Neeves courage to go through the ordeal by showing that it "didn't hurt," Con Sullivan, the messenger boy of the Third District Station, offered himself as a sacrifice, putting up the left sleeve of his blue flannel shirt with the air of a martyr, and allowing a a stoical smile to distort his face as the vaccine was rubbed in. He showed the proper nerve for a boy in his exalted position, but it failed to impress Minnie, and she finally left the station still exposed to all the horrors of small-pox. After Con's daring deed the vaccination was kept up in a steady stream, and it was apparent that the "station doctor" was to have a busy day.

A VACCINE PILGRIMAGE.

At the 11 o'clock roll-call Capt. Joyce had instructed all the officers to notify people on their beats that the doctor was on hand at the station ready to vaccinate them, and the orders were evidently promptly obeyed, as there was soon a pilgrimage apparently of the entire neighborhood begun towards the scene of action. Besides the operation itself the doctor has to keep a record of the number of "primary" and "secondary" vaccinations made and the number of quills used, to be reported to the Board of Health office every night, together with a statement of the probable amount of vaccine needed for the following day. The police are also ordered to notify the doctors at the station as soon as a small-pox patient has been removed from any house, so that he can go there at once and vaccinate the remaining inmates. The scenes at all the stations, except the Chestnut street where there was no doctors stationed, were similar to the ones at the Third, and there will be thousands of sore arms in St. Louis next week. The precautions being taken against a spread of small-pox are not confined to the Board of Health alone, as practicing physicians report a demand for vaccine not reached in St. Louis for many years.

### HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE.

**News Happenings in a Big City Tersely Told.**

Sheds in the rear of 511, 513 and 515 South Twenty-third street, belonging to property for which John Dockery, 906 Locust street, is agent, and valued at $500. were totally destroyed by fire about 12:20 o'clock this morning. A stable in the rear of 2325 Randolph street, belonging to the Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., was damaged to the amount of $50. An alarm was given from box 368 for the blaze.

**Fired Four Shots at a Burglar.**

An unknown negro, of whom no accurate description can be furnished, was seen in the act of opening the window shutter in the rear of the residence of William Sippel, 908 North High street. Sippel fired four shots at the intruder, none of which took effect. The negro ran and escaped.

**Dangerously Stabbed.**

John Trevis and a colored boy named Eugene Woods fought about 11:30 o'clock last night at High and Morgan streets. Woods was stabbed in the left breast and dangerously hurt. He was sent in an ambulance to his home at 911 North Eleventh street. Trevis escaped at the time, but late in the night was arrested by Sergt Dawson and Officers Coppinger and Donlan, all of the Third District. The prisoner will be held on a warrant charging him with assault with intent to kill.

**Mr. Julius Rothschild's Misfortune.**

Julius Rothschild of 1804 Kennett place was thrown from his buggy at Seventh and Walnut streets about 12:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His left leg and left arm were severely bruised and his buggy damaged to the amount of $75.

### DEATH RATE IN CHICAGO.

**Nearly Thirty-Five Out of Every Thousand Died There Last Week.**

CHICAGO, Ill., March 23.—Grippe, pneumonia and the vernal equinox, jointly, did deadly work in Chicago last week. The footings show that 804 person died during the week, the major portions of them of lung diseases. Pneumonia claimed 170; grippe, 19; bronchitis, 81; diphtheria, 28; scarlet fever, 15; typhoid fever, 18; consumption, 4; acute lung diseases carried off, 238. Last week the death list was 709. The rate was 34.84, almost unprecedented in the history of the city.

**Transferred to Cork.**

CORK, March 23.—Wm. O'Brien and John Dillon, the members of Parliament who have been undergoing terms of imprisonment in Galway Jail, were transferred to-day to Cork Jail. They were recognized upon their arrival at the railway station here and as they were driven through the streets upon jaunting carts, guarded by a police escort, the prisoners received an ovation from the people in the streets. Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon were at first taken to Clonmel Prison, after surrendering to the police at Folkestone on Feb. 12; on Feb. 18 the two Irish members escaped to America. They recently returned and surrendered.

**New York Stocks.**

By Private Wire to Gaylord, Blessing & Co.

LONDON, 2 p. m.—Prices of American securities:

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| Northern Pacific pfd | 72¼ | unc | |
| Erie | 18⅝ | adv | ¼ |
| Lake Shore | 113 | adv | ¼ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 74⅝ | unc | |
| St. Paul | 56 | adv | ½ |
| New York Central | 104 | dec | ½ |
| Reading | 15 | unc | |
| Union Pacific | 45¼ | adv | ⅛ |
| Atchison | 26½ | dec | ¼ |

The cable review of European bourses for the last week is not favorable in tone this morning, reporting Americans weak in London, transactions light and the public holding aloof. Cammack was visiting Bill Scott at the Fifth Avenue Hotel Saturday afternoon, but they were not visible yesterday they are both bulls on the market and believe in a strong and advancing movement presently. The exports of gold are no surprise to Cammack, who estimated them as high as $20,000,000 as far back as January. H. B. Hollins & Co. say that, taken as a whole, the outlook for railroads this spring is not unfavorable, as traffic continues unexpectedly heavy.

Loan market very dull; all kinds plenty. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy flat, Rock Island 1½, Delaware, Lackawana & Western flat and 1 per cent. Others mostly 2½; money offered at 3 per cent.


**Gaylord, Blessing & Co., 307 Olive Street.**

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# THE FATHER TOO.

## N. P. Tobin Murdered, It Is Thought, by His Daughter's Slayer.

### FRIGHTFUL DISCOVERY IN THE RUINS OF THE BURNED HOME.

**A Desperate Deed at La Porte, Ind.—Men Thrown Into Freight Cars and Robbed While the Train Is in Motion—An Unavailing Struggle—Killings and Features in Crime All Over the Country.**

OIL CITY, Pa., March 23.—The citizens of Franklin were shocked yesterday by the news that N. P. Tobin of that place had been murdered. He was the father of Miss Mary Tobin, who was mysteriously drowned at Clifton, Staten Island, nearly two years ago. Her former home was Franklin, where she was a teacher in the public schools. She went to New York to pursue special studies. She was accomplished and beautiful, and at the time of her death was engaged to be married, her disappearance taking place almost on the eve of the expected marriage. The mystery surrounding her death has never been solved, but that there was foul play connected with it has never been doubted by the relatives and friends.

Mr. Tobin was 52 years old and was a tailor. He was well known in the business and religious circles of Franklin. His wife and two children went into the country Saturday and he was Saturday night alone. At 5 o'clock yesterday morning the fire department was called out. His residence was aflame. In the ruins of the building two hours later was found the dead and partly burned body of Tobin dressed, with the exception of coat and hat. It was lying face downward on the parlor floor. He had expected to drive into the country early yesterday morning for his wife and children and this accounted for his being nearly dressed. There was undoubtedly foul play. Tobin's body was found in a crouched position in the parlor, the head resting in a pool of blood, and over the eyes there was a big bruise. The autopsy made by the doctors showed that he was not stifled by the smoke, but that he was choked to death. Marks resembling the imprints of a man's finger nails were found on the dead man's throat. Tobin was a powerful and active man and he must have had several assailants. A brace and two bits, evidently used in gaining entrance to the house, were found. It is thought that Tobin had obtained information regarding the foul play which caused his daughter's death, and that this fact had become known to the guilty person, and therefore, that whoever was responsible for the death of Mary Tobin also planned the murder of her father. Detectives have been at work continually on the drowning mystery, and Mr. Tobin is reported to have said recently that a loop would soon be found in the right place.

When Tobin came to this country from England, his errand was to fight Ben Hogan, the then notorious fighter and bad man of the oil regions. Tobin soon became converted, and his life from that time became one of philanthropy and good works. He frequently took poor boys from the streets and supplied them with clothes. He looked after poor families and held meetings among the prisoners in jail.

MARY TOBIN'S DEATH.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Miss Mary C. Tobin's body was found off the Rocks at Clifton, Staten Island, on May 12, 1889, and the evidence brought out later proved that she had been murdered, but the mystery of her death was never solved. She came to Staten Island from Pennsylvania in 1885, and in 1887 went into the office of Dr. S. A. Robinson of West Brighton as an assistant. She became engaged secretly to Dr. Wm. Bryan, and when she left Dr. Robinson's employ on April 13, 1889, she said it was to get married. The doctor saw her two days later, but that was the last time she was seen alive. There were many conjectures as to the way that Miss Tobin, who was an attractive young woman, had met her death, and Dr. Bryan himself was under suspicion for some time.

KILLED BY A DRUNKARD.

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., March 23.—Dan Rucker was accidentally shot and killed by Abe Hathaway, his companion, yesterday. The men had been drinking, and Hathaway was attempting to shoot a base ball that was being thrown from hand to hand on the military reservation. Rucker sprang in front of him, and received a bullet in the breast. Hathaway was arrested.

PROVED HER FAITH.

NORWICH, Conn., March 23.—Clarence Mulford, a blacksmith serving time in the Chenango County Jail here for a misdemeanor, was married yesterday to Miss Ella Ryder in the Sheriff's parlor by Justice Nash. The girl married him to prove her faith in his innocence. Her mother accompanied her, and took her back home after the ceremony.

WHERE SALVADORE WENT.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 23.—A week ago Salvadore Bertilemi disappeared and was not heard of until yesterday, when his body was found by an Italian captain in the bay. Bertilemi, when last seen, was quarreling with a negro woman.

BETWEEN TWO WIVES.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 23.—The police officials are expected to arrive to-day with Norton S. Hill, who was arrested in Dayton O., for bigamy. Hill married Miss Fannie Deshman here about a year ago. Since the marriage she learned that her husband had a wife in Chicago. On Saturday Hill abandoned his wife here and started to join the other wife in Chicago. The charges were made before he could get away.

FORGIVEN, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.

SEYMOUR, Ind., March 23.—In 1887 Wm. Scott and Mrs. Dennis Callahan, both married, eloped from this place and went to Nevada. A few days later the woman returned and lived with her husband about the same length of time that she had been away. Scott then returned and he and Mrs. Callahan again eloped, going to Horton, Neb. Some time ago the elopers again returned. Scott met his wife over the coffin of a daughter and reconciliation followed. The man and his paramour then decided to divide the provisions in the house and return to their former partners. Mrs. Scott was seriously poisoned by the use of some of these provisions, and Mrs. Callahan is suspected of being criminally connected with the poisoning, and has been arrested.

AN INSANE JUROR.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 23.—Calvin Brown has been on trial for murder at Edwardsville, in North Alabama, for over four weeks. Saturday, while the jury was deliberating the verdict, one of the twelve was discovered to be violently insane from the strain.

WOULDN'T BACK THE CAR.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 23.—H. W. Booth, a Michigan University student, got on a Ypsilanti electric car Saturday evening and, while attempting to get off, the car ran past the crossing. Booth asked the motor-man to back up, which he refused to do, and in the scrap that followed Booth fired a pistol at the motor-man, wounding him in the abdomen seriously. Booth was arrested.

AN ASSAULT WITHOUT A MOTIVE.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., March 23.—John Troutman and Edward Jones, while walking to their homes at Shoemakers' Patch, were attacked at a lonely spot in the road by three men. While one held Jones at bay with a revolver thrust into his face, the others attacked Troutman, stabbing him repeatedly. The wounds are believed to be fatal. Three Poles have been arrested on suspicion of committing the crime, of which no one knows the cause.

**Killed at Aberdeen.**

ABERDEEN, Miss., March 23.—About 12 o'clock Saturday night Joseph Williams attempted to get in Tennessee Anderson's house. Tennessee objected and Williams finally broke down the doors and shot her, inflicting a mortal wound. The murderer was jailed.

**A Criminal Collection.**

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 23.—The following are a few of the crimes and casualties yesterday and to-day:

At Connellsville, Dave Wilson shot and killed Hannah Collins, both colored.

At Coalburg, Percy Ross shot and killed George Pickett, both colored.

Mrs. Emma Adaway, white, was run over by a dummy train and one leg cut off; seriously hurt.

Tom Johnson, colored, was run over and killed by a train at Irondale.

C. W. Gray, brakeman, leg mashed while coupling cars at Irondale.

An unknown white woman was found dead in a vacant house.

**It Was an Accident.**

CINCINNATI, O., March 23.—Will A. Stevens, the dry goods merchant charged with murder in the first degree for the killing of C. H. Wood, had a preliminary hearing in the Police Court and was discharged, the testimony showing that the pistol was accidentally discharged.

### THE PATENT MEDICINE TRADE.

**A Druggist's Complaint Against Dry Goods Stores and Cheap Drug Stores.**

Some of the druggists who attended the meeting held at the College of Pharmacy Friday afternoon deny that the object of the gathering was to establish a boycott against drug stores which sell patent medicines below the rates established by the Druggists' Association. "The meeting," said a member of the firm of Frost & Ruf, this morning, "was held with a view of remedying the evils in the drug trade caused by the fact that dry goods houses and notion stores make patent medicines a leader and sell them at or below cost. It is only an advertising scheme with them and it takes our legitimate profits. The dealers attract people to their stores by offering our goods at cost and then sell their own goods at a profit. Suppose the druggists did the same thing with dry goods how long would it be before all would fail in business? This is a plain business proposition and all fair-minded people must side with us. Let the dry goods merchant stick to dry goods and competition among the druggists will keep the price of patent medicines at a reasonable figure."

The gentleman's idea of reasonable prices do not agree with that of the druggists who refuse to enter the Druggists' Association and who are satisfied with a profit of 10 per cent on patent medicines. He claims that such a profit will not pay for handling the medicines. The cost of handling goods is to the druggist from 20 to 25 per cent, and he thinks there is something wrong when a man sells patent medicines at a less profit.

### WILL RETURN TO JEFFERSON.

**Jim Taylor, an Ex-Convict, Sentenced to Eight Years in the Penitentiary.**

Eugene Black, under indictment in two cases for burglary in the second degree and larceny, was this morning permitted to plead guilty to the charge of grand larceny, and was at once sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary. About the middle of December the defendant, a young negro, burglarized a Wabash freight car, stealing several cases of shoes and a quantity of dry goods and clothing. A nolle prosequi was entered in the second action.

James Taylor was given a long "stretch." The defendant, an ex-convict, was under indictment for burglary in the first degree and larceny and for attempted burglary in the first degree and larceny. He was allowed to plead guilty to the charge of burglary in the second degree and larceny and was sentenced to serve a term of eight years at Jefferson City. On Dec. 10 Taylor burglarized the residence of Alfred P. Hebard, 1618 Olive street, and stole two watches, an umbrella, a pair of spectacles, two rings, an overcoat, two suits of clothing and $40 in money. He also attempted to force an entrance into the residence of Mrs. Margaret Wilson, 1825 Olive street, but was frightened away after a front door had been forced. In this action a nolle prosequi was entered.

**Thrown Over the Car Railing.**

Mr. S. Kehrman, Jr., of Elleard place met with an accident which might have proved fatal. Mr. Kehrman was standing face to face with another passenger on the rear platform of coach No. 14, attached to grip No. 24 of the Citizens' Line, last evening when, he says, the gripman at Easton avenue and Francis streets caused the train to give an unexpected lurch by suddenly gripping the cable. Mr. Kehrman and the gentleman opposite him were thrown over the railing, each sustaining painful hurts about the head and shoulders.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Yesterday while the Chinamen were attending the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Peoria, Ill., thieves made a raid on their laundries. In all about $100 was taken.

Mrs. Johanna Staff, a Norwegian, was fatally burned at Seattle, Wash., yesterday by an exploding can of kerosene oil. She was trying to start the kitchen fire.

Oliver H. Jessup of Bridgewater, Conn., has gone insane over the faith cure craze. He tried to sacrifice his little grand-daughter on an improvised altar in his bed-room.

During a lecture on "Newspaper Men; Their Mission in Life," at St. Paul's Church in Salt Lake, Utah, last night the sudden setting of the floor caused a panic. No one was injured.

Bernard Devine, a peddler of Oliphant, Pa., has just returned home after a mysterious absence of twenty-one years. He found his wife the widow of another man, and they are now re-united.

Mrs. John Haines, wife of a conductor on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, of Canton, Ill., said she would go to church yesterday morning, but bought a ticket and went to Chicago instead.

The body of Harry Noble, a machinist, was found hanging from the bridge abutment on Prospect street, Brooklyn, yesterday. He had suicided through despondency caused by inability to get work.

ROSEDALE, Miss., March 23.—Engineer Frank Brogan and his colored fireman were killed yesterday in a wreck on the Valley road, three miles north of Rosedale, Miss. No passengers were hurt.

Mary Caroline Christianson committed suicide in New York Friday by taking rat poison. She killed her baby by a mistake in giving it carbolic acid for milk last December, and became insane afterward.

Dinah Harris, a young colored girl employed as a servant in the house of Col. Candler, in Gainesville, Tex., was stabbed to death by Lucy Mitchell, who was jealous of her husband's attentions to Dinah.

Henry Bennett, a boy, fell from a hay wagon on to a pitchfork near Princeton, Ky., Saturday. The prongs pierced his body in an upward direction, one of them protruding from his mouth. He is fatally injured.

Hattie Robinson of Decatur, Ill., the 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. W. H. C. Robinson, took laudanum Saturday night with suicidal intent, but was saved. She was angry because prevented from going out to work.

Wm. Eaton, son of Section Foreman Bob Eaton of New Memphis, was run down and fatally injured by a Louisville & Nashville through freight near Mascoutah, Ill., yesterday. He had gone to sleep on a hand-car on the track.

The little city of Dalton, Ky., is greatly excited over the appearance of hydrophobia in their midst. A day or two ago a 15-year-old boy named Fitzsimmons was bitten by a rabbid dog, and though a madstone was applied no good results were obtained.

M. H. Dickinson & Co. of Kansas City, wholesale and retail dealers in books and stationery, have transferred their stock to the Union National Bank to secure a note of $30,-000. Assets estimated at $100,000; liabilities unknown, mostly placed in the East.


MR. JOHN M. WHITE is connected with the advertising department of the POST-DISPATCH with the special object of writing up the business interests of St. Louis and vicinity.


# SCHWEICKARDT'S BILL.

### SOME INTERESTING FACTS CONNECTED WITH ITS PASSAGE.

**Mayor Noonan's Letter to Mark Chartrand, Who Had Bid for the Privileges—How the Objectors Were Treated—Schweickardt Getting Ready.**

This morning Mr. Charles Schweickardt was at the office of the City Register consulting with Mr. Wherry about the terms of the ordinance for the Forest Park privileges and the formalities to be gone through with before he could make whatever changes he had in view.

The resentment aroused by the passage of this bill has not by any means abated and the history of it is a very peculiar one. When the time for the existing lease on the Forest Park privileges approached, there were a great many persons applying to the Municipal Assembly for the lease of those privileges. Among them was Mr. Schweickhardt, who proposed to renew his lease on exactly the same terms as the old one. Others bid higher, and some included in their ordinances a clause which prohibited the sale of liquor entirely. The Schweickhardt bill passed in the House of Delegates and went to the Council. While it was there two questions were raised and seriously discussed. One was whether or not it would be advisable to give the privileges to the highest bidder who would agree to conduct affairs in accordance with the desires of the city. The other question was as to the liquor privileges, many being in favor of entirely prohibiting the sale of liquor in the park.

Mr. Schweickhardt said that he would not take the lease with the liquor privileges left out. So the Council Committee took his bill and amended it by striking out the liquor clause and putting the name of another man in place of Schweickhardt's. It very soon developed that if this amended bill was sent back it would not meet with the concurrence of the House of Delegates and that plan was given up. In the meantime Mr. Schweickhardt hustled around and raised enough money to pay the city what was long overdue under the old leases.

After a great deal of dickering and tinkering over the bill with Schweickhardt's name reinstated an ordinance was passed granting Schweickhardt the privileges on condition that no liquor be sold at the bar, but be served to the patrons when seated at tables. All of the others who had ordinances before the Council for the same privileges on better terms for the city were ignored and their bills left to die a natural death.

MR. CHARTRAND TELLS A STORY.

Among these was one introduced by Mr. M. B. Chartrand in which the liquor privileges were left out and the price to be paid was higher than that in the Schweickhardt ordinance.

Mr. Chartrand was seen this morning about his bill and said:

"I put my ordinance in but was given but little chance to do anything with it. My terms were better and I proposed to establish a well-conducted and desent restaurant at which no liquor would be sold. Schweickhardt's bill passed, and I went to the Mayor's office to give my reasons and arguments against the signing of the bill. I tried to see the Mayor, but was not permitted to go into his office. Several people were passed in ahead of me, and in spite of all protests I could make I was compelled by Secretary Brennan to stay outside. Finally he came out from the Mayor's office and said a day would be set for the objectors to make their arguments, and that I would be notified. I was never notified and the next thing I knew was that the Mayor had signed the ordinance. I had one argument I intended to use, and that was that I would pay more to the city for the privileges than Schweickhardt was paying.

"I wrote to the Mayor, telling him that I did not like my treatment, and I got an answer which showed very clearly that he had had his mind made up and would sign that bill and pay off another political debt.

"In the first part of his letter he states himself as follows:

*Mark B. Chartrand, Esq.:*

MY DEAR SIR—You are right. I told my secretary that I would not hear your side or rather the objectors' side of the Schweickhardt case until a later day, mentioning that I would have the day announced, as there were others beside yourself who desired to be heard and I determined not to hear the matter in detail. In other words, not one party one day and another the next and another the next. There was but one person asked to appear in favor of the bill, and that was Mr. Schweickhardt himself. He came in and stated his business, and said that if the ordinance was approved he would obey it and I then indicated to him that if that was all he desired to say I would take up another matter. On the day I set for the hearing the other parties were notified and had their say, and you were not notified simply because in the business rapidity of an office of this character and the much detail concerning it and the many hundred things passing through it daily you were accidentally and unintentionally overlooked. I will say to you now, as I said to the other objectors, and they were very few in this great city of half a million, that I favored refreshments in Forest Park decently served, and no argument that you could have made would have interfered with the signing of that ordinance."

The remainder of the letter refers to the Mayor's acquaintance with Mr. Chartrand and explanations not bearing directly upon the subject.

Mr. Chartrand says that he has made inquiry to ascertain when the hearing of objections occurred, but has so far failed to establish the fact that a hearing was given. The only objector to the Schweickhardt bill that he can find who received a notice that objections would be heard by the Mayor on a certain day was Mrs. Ingalls, and she was out of the city. On the face of it, the whole transaction looks queer. With half a dozen applicants in the field ready to bid on the lease, and put their prices up to a good figure, the thing is fixed for Schweickhardt for a much lower sum than others were willing and had offered to pay.

**North St. Louis.**

Miss Annie Fulton has gone to Larimie City, Wyo., to be absent four months.

A special meeting of St. Michael's Young Men's Sodality is called for to-night.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Victor, nee Mullen, took place this afternoon from the Holy Name Church.

Enterprise Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Industry, will have their closing masquerade party next Monday night

The Smith & Little Hardwood Lumber Co. will put up a $15,000 hardwood lumber dry kiln at their yards, Broadway and Warren streets.

The Southern & Western Sash & Door Association, which was recently organized on a temporary basis, has now been made a permanent institution.

Mrs. S. A. Ober of No. 3705 North Broadway and several other ladies have received an invitation to attend the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Larcom, Chelmsford, Mass.

The new passenger coaches of the Merchants' Terminal Line arrived from St. Charles yesterday. They are handsomely furnished and are named St. Louis and Madison. They will be put into service to-morrow.

The Globe Furniture Co. will, it is reported, erect a monster factory on the block bounded by Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Palm and Branch streets. The entire block will be covered by the factory, and adjoining ground will be used for piling purposes.

A vicious dog owned by Mrs. Elizabeth Pauling, a second-hand furniture dealer at 1616 North Broadway, attacked yesterday John Herbert, a 5-year-old boy living at 312 Brooklyn street. The little fellow was severely bitten on the left wrist.

Holy Trinity Branch, Catholic Knights of America, will break the Lenten quiet with a reunion, entertainment and ball on Easter Monday night at the North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salisbury streets. The officers of the Grand Council will attend.


**Mr. W. C. Steigers**

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## CORBETT AND JACKSON.

**INTEREST THAT IS TAKEN IN THEIR COMING BATTLE.**

**A Very Even and Scientific Contest Expected—Victorious St. Louis Athletes Return From Detroit—Racing, Pugilism, Athletics and Other Sports.**

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The fistic event which looms up most conspicuously in the near future is the Corbett-Jackson meeting. Much genuine interest is taken in the fight because both men are recognized as scientific boxers. Neither could be correctly spoken of as a slugger. Each has a head, on his shoulders well stocked with brains. Both are quick and scientific, and the meeting between them ought to come more closely to the ideal of the noble art of self-defense than any of the many of the prize-ring fights which have of late years caused sensations from time to time. In all Sullivan's fights his superior science or his superior strength have been very obvious. In no instance has he been met by a man in whom the combination of science and strength was as evenly allotted as is the case with Jackson and Corbett. Kilrain was much vaunted for his science, but the delusion has been long ago dispelled. Charlie Mitchell is quick as lightning, but has not Sullivan's strength. In this fight both men have speed, strength and generalship, and the battle will be in the fullest sense a trial of skill more than of muscle and endurance. Charles Stensel, Jim Corbett's manager, says that Corbett is taking light exercise and will commence the serious work of training on April 1. John Donaldson is now in Sausalito with Corbett and Billy Delaney, who trained the pugilist for his fight with Choyinski, will also be ready to take him in hand on the date named.

Peter Jackson is at Joe Dieve's and it will be a surprise if he does not show up in first-class condition. Peter can get in shape in a month and when he is feeling good and strong there is not a pugilist living whom he can't give enough to keep him busy as long as he is in the ring. Bets are not plentiful and will not be until close to the time of the meeting, even then odds on one way or the other will be slight, as it is just about a toss-up who will win.

SLAVIN'S BENEFIT.

The Benefit given in London to Frank Slavin previous to the time advertised for his departure for America to fight John L. Sullivan for the championship of the world, went off with a boom on the 8th inst. All the sporting nobility as well as the Whitechapel contingent of broken-nosed bruisers were present. The feature of the occasion was Slavin's offer to give £100 to any man who would linger four rounds with him in the ring, which was accepted by an unknown. The unkown proved to be a young giant from Whitechapel named Jack Ellis, who has a large reputation in the East End. Ellis had been training for two weeks for the match, while Slavin had been staying up late nights with other convivial people, so there was some hope that Slavin might catch a tartar. That hope was dispelled soon after the men entered the ring. Slavin played with his man for the first round, and at the beginning of the second struck him a blow in the ribs, very much like the one that settled McAuliffe at the Ormonde Club. It knocked Ellis senseless and wound him around the ropes, and the Whitechapel man gave no more thought to the £100. The entertainment concluded with an exhibition sparring match between Slavin and Mitchell. Mitchell was introduced as "the only man in England who dared to accept John L. Sullivan's challenge on his visit to this country," and Slavin as the man who "intended to wrest the championship of the world from Sullivan."

M'AULIFFE WILLING.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Jack McAuliffe, the champion light weight, said yesterday that he was ready to fight Myer for the $5,000 purse offered by the Olympic Club of New Orleans, providing Myer will make an outside bet of $5,000. McAuliffe said he could get in condition in about eight weeks.

PUGILISTIC POINTERS.

The suspicion appears to be growing that the recent fight in London between Ted Pritchard and Jack Burke wasn't dead square. When Burke left this country for Australia he was worth about $80,000. It is said that he lost all this money in the Antipodes at bookmaking, and that he returned to England dead broke. He was backed by "Abigindon," and many people think that the latter was "thrown down." The facts in the case are likely to be known soon.

The *Alta California* remarks: The Kilrain-Godfrey prize-fight terminated in a much more creditable manner than the "fake" of a few weeks ago, but still it could hardly be termed an interesting battle. The honors, if any, were on Godfrey for the indomitable pluck he displayed, but Kilrain's length of reach prevented him from doing any harm to his opponent, and, considering this fact, the Baltimorean did not show up well in taking so many rounds to demolish an antagonist who, for all practical purposes, was not able to strike one good blow.

THE TURF.

Sir George Chitwynd is a great admirer of Fordham, who, as a finisher, must have resembled Snapper Garrison in many of his tactics, as the following story about Sabinus' Cambridgeshire illustrates: "Allbrook, who was greatly fancied by his friends, served by his light weight, made the running to such good purpose that he was leading a good four lengths at the Red Post, when it appeared impossible for Sterling, who was lying second, to catch him, and out of the question for Sabinus, who was at the head of the remainder on the sheep track near the rails, with Fordham sitting crouched like a monkey on the horse's neck. 'My horse wins! Allbrook wins!' excitedly screamed out Lord Alington, galloping madly along the rails by the side of the leader. 'I stand to win £20,000 on that horse, and I wouldn't take £19,999 for it.' Alas! hope told a flattering tale. Another few strides began to tell; Allbrook rapidly compounded and fell back to Sterling, on whom Challoner was hard at work, but who was running gamely on. Hardly were the words, 'Sterling wins!' out of the mouths of his backers when a yell went up from the ring as Fordham, who had scarcely been noticed, got up to the other two, who were locked together, and after as exciting a struggle as ever was seen, won by a short head on the post, Sterling and Allbrook finishing a dead heat."

THE THOMPSON TRACK.

It is now currently reported about town that Joseph Thompson, the Australian bookmaker, has definitely abandoned his scheme of building a new race track in this city, says the San Francisco *Call*. He claims that the prices of suitable locations are too exorbitant for him. Thompson has only himself to blame for the failure of his plans. Had he gone about selecting the necessary land in a business-like manner he could have got all he wanted at reasonable prices. But his loud proclamations immediately upon his arrival of how much wealth he had to expend, and his intention to build only at one place and at any price almost, naturally caused the holders of the land he desired to raise their prices. But because Thompson has failed the proposition is just as desirable now as ever, and there is just as much money in it as there ever was. A new race track is a fortune for the man who will build it here, but he must not be a Thompson.

TRINGLE'S OWNER.

The victory of Tremont's daughter, Tringle, in the George Washington stakes at Guttenburg on Feb. 22 has caused many to make inquiries concerning the identity of her owner, Mr. Manning. Mr. Manning is John A. Logan, Jr., of Ohio, son of the famous General. Young Mr. Logan raced some years ago under the name of the Ohio Stable, Shotover being the bright particular star of the small string. He sold Shotover at the close of the season of 1888 and gave his entire attention to the breeding of trotters and hackneys at Youngstown, founding at the same time the nucleus of a kennel of fox terriers that are now extensively known. Last fall, however, the love for the thoroughbred returned and Mr. Logan bought several yearlings, some by Tremont, and placed them in the stable of Johnny Campbell, a clever trainer and a thorough racing man. Tringle is by Tremont out of Triangle, Champagne Charlie's dam, and her owner had a snug sum on her when she won the George Washington stakes. She is built on the same lines as the Black Locomotive, but is on the small side, and looks like a filly that would not stand any great amount of wear and tear. Still, a well-known trainer at Morris Park, where she received her preparation for the race, says that Tringle was the best 2-year-old at Westchester.

HORSE NOTES.

Louis Henry Curzon has written an entertaining book in his "History of the Blue Ribbon." The great English event of Epsom Downs, the blood of winners of which courses so freely through the veins of American thoroughbreds, must of necessity be interesting to American readers. Diomed, the winner of the first Derby, is the ancestor of many of the best American thoroughbred families, having been imported into Virginia.

In looking over the list of winning sires published with the tabulated pedigrees in such recognized horse papers as the *Sportsman*, New York *Spirit of the Times* and *Horseman*, one cannot fail to be struck by the number of times that Touchstone's name appears in each pedigree. Every one of the horses which have gained fame as sires in America and Australia trace back, through one of their lines at least, to Touchstone, and, if followed back, of course through nearly all lines to the great Eclipse. The theory that like begets like finds no stronger proof than that shown in the thoroughbred.

Tug Decker, the jockey, was killed Saturday night while alighting from a train of the New Haven & Hartford Road at Westchester Station. He was 19 years of age, and had been riding since he was 12 years old.

ATHLETICS.

George Baptiste, the middle-weight wrestler; Julius Schaan, the light-weight wrestler; John Victor, the heavy-weight sparrer, and George Parsons, the light-weight sparrer of the Pastime Athletic Club, returned this morning from Detroit, where they represented their club in the sparring and wrestling tournament held Friday and Saturday nights, under the auspices of the Michigan Athletic Association. The men made a splendid showing, securing three of the seven events given by the club. They won everything for which they entered except the light-weight sparring contest in which Anthony Kirchner, Jr., of the Catholic Club of Detroit got the decision over Parsons, although the people and the press thought the St. Louis man was entitled to the trophy. Parsons fought and bested in three red-hot rounds Charles Hall of Detroit, who afterward proved to be a professional. While tired and a trifle groggy from the exertion of so furious a set-to, Parsons met Kirchner in the final. He outpointed the Detroit man in the first two rounds, but in the third round was fagged out and groggy, and Kirchner got the better of him and was awarded the decision. Parsons is in reality a featherweight anyhow. John Victor got the heavy-weight sparring prize by default, Hayes of Detroit, who was to have met him, refusing to do so. Victor did not take part in the middle-weight event. Baptiste was entered for both the heavy-weight and middle-weight wrestling, but competed only in the latter. In the final he threw Albert Kidd, the champion of Philadelphia, a very hard man to down. Julius Schaan was entered only for the light weight wrestling and threw Roger Sullivan of the C. C. A. in the final bout. The St. Louis athletes speak glowingly of the treatment they received in Detroit, especially at the hands of the Michigan Athletic Association and Detroit Athletic Club, the two leading organizations there. Messrs. Murphy, Williams and Hays, they state, were particularly nice to them.

THAT CARY RECORD AGAIN.

At the recent annual meeting of the delegates of the Inter-Collegiate Athletic Association, held in New York, the Princeton representatives tried to induce the delegates to allow Luther Cary the record of 9½ seconds for 100 yards running, but they would not have it. After considerable discussion it was finally referred to the Committee on Records, but it was the sense of the meeting that the record should not stand. A motion to have the 56-pound weight and two-mile safety bicycle race added to the programme of events to be decided at the championship games, was defeated, and hereafter no safeties will be allowed in a race. It was decided to retain the tug-of-war event. The New York University was elected to membership. The treasurer's report showed that there was over $2,000 in the treasury, and this amount will be divided among the colleges whose athletes competed in the games last May.

WONDERFUL HUTCHENS.

"Pendragon," in the London *Referee*, says of Hutchens, the clever English sprinter, who won the last Sheffield handicap by an inch, that in that victory his return to form was something marvelous. "Here is a man of 36 or 37 years of age, who to win as he won must be capable of running 122 yards in less than 11⅘s. He did not do that on the day, because the wind was dead against the runners; but it is no secret that he had to do better than the equivalent of 11⅘s, as Massey, who was favorite for the final, had been tried several times fully equal to that for his 115¼ yards. I suppose Hutchens must have done five yards better than evens. This hasn't been done by the half dozen very best sprinters that ever lived when they were in the very best of their running, and so it shows not only what a wonder Hutchens is now, but what an extra-treble-milled wonder he must have been ten or a dozen years ago, when he was between three and four yards faster than he showed himself last Tuesday. I have seen the day when Hutchens could have given an even-timer seven and a half yards inside 130 with the absolute certainty of finishing in front of him—unless Hutchens broke down on the way or had an accident."

BASE BALL.

The opening game of the season, if the weather remains fair, will take place on Wednesday afternoon, when the St. Louis Browns will play the Hudsons. On Thursday the Browns will play a game with the Browns' Reserves. In these two games the full Brown Stocking team will appear.

Comiskey returned to St. Louis from Bloomington yesterday, where he signed Radbourne for the Cincinnati Association team.

Hoy, Neal and Eagan, the new players of the St. Louis team, as well as Tip O'Neill, are already here.

Secretary Munson will arrive from Cincinnati to-morrow morning, and will be accompanied by Boyle, Lyons, Clingman and Fuller, the Cincinnati contingent of the St. Louis team.

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**The Baby Is 2 Weeks Old.**

HARTFORD, Conn., March 23.—Rodney Strong Dennis, only son of Rodney Dennis, Secretary of the Travelers' Insurance Co., relinquished his position with the Connecticut Trust Co. two months ago and went to Memphis. At about the same time Miss Cecile Miellez left Hartford for New Hampshire. Miss Miellez is the adopted daughter of ex-Lieut.-Gov. Charles Pond, one of the richest men in Hartford. Miss Cecile was called one of the prettiest girls hereabouts, and when she left for the mountains of New Hampshire and her family gave it out that she was suffering from very poor health there was considerable sympathy expressed for the young woman. An explanation came yesterday. It seems that over a year ago Miss Miellez became Mrs. Rodney Strong Dennis. He is 28 years old and she is 22. The romance of a clandestine marriage appealed strongly to them, so one morning they took a train for New York and were married in the City Hall. They returned to Hartford, but told no one of the union, and it was not made known to the parents of either until circumstances made it necessary. Young Dennis will now publicly claim his bride and take her to Memphis with him. Their child is 2 weeks old.

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**The Deadly Electric Wire.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Policeman James J. Kiernan was badly burned on the face, neck, hands and body by an electric wire on Christie street, near Hester, Saturday night. The wire had snapped and Kiernan was keeping the crowd back, when a boy tried to run past and struck the wire, receiving a shock. Kiernan picked the boy up and the swinging wire struck him, throwing him to the ground. He could not disentangle himself from the wires, but Policeman O'Brien at last got him free, after receiving numerous shocks himself. There were five burns on his neck, face and hands, and his body was circled with blue lines. He will be laid up for a week.

**Budweiser Restaurant.**

Fine dinners, all delicacies, prompt service. Pierre Lambert, manager, Sixth near Locust.

**A Crestonian's Luck.**

CRESTON, Iowa, March 23.—An old citizen of Creston yesterday received a letter from a priest at Lisbon, Spain, apprising him of the fact that a Spanish exile, who was formerly his associate as an employe of the Burlington round house here, had just died, leaving him $5,000 upon the following conditions: The citizen is to give the priest a bond in the sum of $4,000 guaranteeing that he will unearth and restore to the Spaniard's only heir, a daughter, jewels to the value of $4,000 buried in Creston. A chart, giving the exact location of the treasure, is to be sent the citizen on receipt of the bond.

**Notice.**

The Anthony & Kuhn Brewery Depot Has been removed to 806 Market street. Telephone No. 151.

**AFTER TWENTY-SIX YEARS.**

**Gen. Di Cesnola Keeps a Promise to Give His Colleagues a Dinner.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—An invitation to dinner, the invitation holding good for twenty-six years, is a rare and curious event. So is the circumstance which brought it about. Shortly after the outbreak of the war four men, now well known, were assigned to command in the Eleventh Army corps. Gen. Sigel was the commander of the Corps, Carl Schurz commander of one of the divisions, Gen. Stahl another and Gen. Di Cesnola was in command of the cavalry. In 1865 Gen. Sigel's corps was camped near Bull Run. There had been some hard fighting during the day, and when nightfall came the officers were glad of an opportunity to retire to their tents and enjoy an evening meal. Provisions, however, were scarce, and when had, not of the best quality. Gen. Di Cesnola had, however, provided against all contingencies, and had a liberal supply of macaroni. An Italian cook made as savory a mess as any one could desire, and only an Italian could cook. Just as Gen. Di Cesnola was sitting down to his repast Gen. Sigel, who happened to be passing the tent, caught a whiff of the flavor, and he threw back the flap of the tent to get more of the appetizing odor. With true Italian hospitality, Gen. Di Cesnola invited Gen. Sigel to become a guest of his table, and messages were dispatched to Gen. Stahl and Carl Schurz bearing a like invitation. The guests were loud in their praises of the dish.

"Wait till you come to New York," said the host, "and when we meet again in the metropolis, then I will give you an Italian dinner that will show you, indeed, how far ahead of all the cookery in the world is the Italian school. Consider yourself invited for this Italian dinner."

The invitation was accepted, but with the cessation of hostilities diverse interests scattered the soldiers in different directions. The quartette never met again until two months ago, when they all attended a dinner given to the veterans of the Eleventh Army Corps. It was on that occasion that Carl Schurz remembered the invitation. He recalled the fact to the mind of Di Cesnola and the latter laughingly confessed that he had forgotten all about it, but said the invitation held good. Business engagements prevented the carrying out of the plan immediately, but the dinner is now definitely arranged for Thursday.

AN aggravating sore throat is soon relieved by Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, an old-time remedy for bronchial and pulmonary affections.

**They Were Not Drowned.**

TACOMA, Wash., March 23.—Misses Lillie and Mollie Kimes and Messrs. G. W. Fruse and W. L. Bartlett of the Monmouth (Ill.) *Alta*, reported drowned Friday night in the Sound, returned here Saturday night late. They had put into Quartermaster Bay and waited for the storm to blow over, returning on a steam launch.


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**JEALOUSY THE CAUSE OF IT.**

**Edward Ferriter Leaves His Wife and Carries Away One of Their Children.**

Last Friday Edward Ferriter had a fight with Joe Ferriter, his cousin, on account of the latter's attentions to his (Edward's) wife, and the next day he carried away one of his three children, a 3-year-old boy, and it looks now as if the family would be broken up and their troubles given the fullest publicity in the courts. The little boy was visiting his maternal grandmother, at No. 1422 North Twenty-second street, and while he was playing in the back yard with his older brother, the father came along and picked him up. Ferriter carried the boy off, and in about an hour returned without him, and he refused to tell what he had done with him. The mother is nearly crazy over the loss of her child, and is now afraid that her husband will try to take the other children from her. Her sister, Miss Nellie Lyons, who reported the matter to the police yesterday, declares that Mr. Ferriter's jealousy has no foundation whatever.

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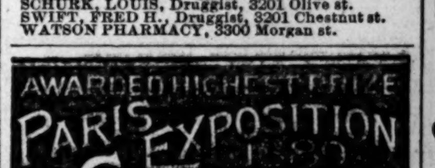
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MCGUFFIN—MOLLIE, beloved wife of James B. McGuffin, died suddenly in New York City on March 21.

Funeral from the family residence, 1617 North Jefferson avenue, at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday, thence to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

STROHBECK—Sunday, March 22, at 7:30 p. m., HERMAN H. STROHBECK, age 76 years and 11 months.

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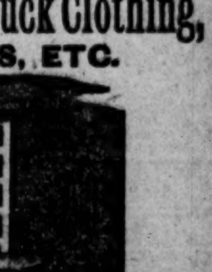

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WANTED—A barber; young man preferred; $10 guaranteed. 1702 Gratiot st. 58

WANTED—Paper cutter to take charge of bindery; state wages. Address L 17, this office. 58

WANTED—Three tinners for job work and 3 men for galvanized iron work. 3650 Easton av. 58

WANTED—Cylinder pressman to take charge of press-room; state wages. Add. M 17, this office. 58

WANTED—Two first-class cutters of ladies' fine shoes. Brown-Desnoyers Shoe Co., 11th and St. Charles. 58

WANTED—Experienced electro plater, gold, silver and nickel, battery system; steady position to competent man. Apply 13 N. Main st., East St. Louis. 58

### Laborers.

WANTED—Men on Lucas and Compton avs. tomorrow. T. J. Kennah. 59

WANTED—10 men on Marcus av., one block north of St. Louis av. J. O'Shea. 59

WANTED—Men and carts cor. Russell and Virginia av. Tuesday morning. Ryan & Cameron.

WANTED—Ten good men and teams on Leffingwell av. and Howard st. in the morning. Gahan & Fisher. 59

### Stenographers.

### Boys.

WANTED—A good boy about 15 years old. 409 N. Broadway. 61

WANTED—A boy who undersands something about type setting. 314 Olive st. 61

WANTED—A half-grown colored boy to makes fires and wash dishes. 3418 Washington av. 61

WANTED—Boy to do chores and make himself useful; colored or white. 3026 Morgan st. 61

WANTED—A German boy of 14 years to do office work. Ad., in own writtng, G 20, this office. 61

WANTED—Boy with ref. to milk cow and work round the house; good wages. 4266 Morgan st. 60

WANTED—Bright boy or girl to read for stenographer evenings; give age and address. Address D 19 this office. 61

WANTED—Boys that have had experience in tin shops, stamping companies, lantern factories, etc. 423 S. 6th st. 61

WANTED—A strong boy to learn the confectioner business; one who has experience preferred. Call at 1424 Chouteau av. 61

WANTED—Bright boy, 14 to 18 years old, to make himself useful around a small shop. Address, stating age and wages. E 14, this office. 61

WANTED—Bright boy to learn telegraphing and assist agent. Apply this evening to Manager Railroad Telegraph School, 615 Olive st. 61

### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Young man on order wagon. Apply at meat market, 2304 Chouteau av. 62

WANTED—Good strong young man for porter work; must bring reference. 1508 Chouteau av. 62

WANTED—Three young men to help load wagons, etc., cor. Jefferson av. and Morgan st., to-morrow morning; can give permanent employment to one; country boy preferred; $1.25 a day. 62

DETECTIVES wanted in every locality to work under instruct.; exper. not nec.; stamp for partic. Washington Detect. Agency, box 787 Washington, Io.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

### Teachers, Companions, Etc.

WANTED—A position as governess by respectable lady. Please address M. E. D., 3563 Olive st., St. Louis. 77

WANTED—Sit. by middle-aged lady as companion or nurse for old lady or invalid. Call or address P, 2725 Chouteau av. Mrs. S. C. Ponder. 77

### Stenographers.

WANTED—A situation by young lady as stenographer and type-writer. Add. N 17, this office

WANTED—Position by experienced stenographer (lady); has worked in railroad office. Address E 20, this office. 45

WANTED—By a stenographer and Remington operator who is now employed, a permanent position by March 30. Add. E 15, this office. 45

### Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—By seamstress sewing in private family by day or week. Add. W 16, this office. 46

WANTED—Good seamstress wants to go out sewing by the day or week; terms reasonable. Address 1123 S. 12th st. Ring upper bell. 46

WANTED—Experienced dressmaker wishes few more engagements in families; stranger in city; best references. Address H 15, this office. 46

## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

### Housekeepers.

WANTED—Sit. by a lady to keep house for a widower. Add. M 19, this office. 47

### General Housework.

WANTED—A situation to do general housework. 832 N. 15th st. 48

**STOVE REPAIRS!**

For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

### Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Good cook wishes a situation to do general housework in small family; city or country. 1431½ N. 24th st. 49

### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A young lady wants to do writing, including figuring, at home. Ad. B 20, this office.

LADIES can get girls and girls places, lodging and board at 1408 Wash st. 52

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

### Teachers, Companions, Etc.

WANTED—A young woman as lady's maid; must be intelligent, neat and refined; good salary. Add. C 15, this office. 78

### Nurses.

WANTED—A good nurse at 3316 Washington av. 70

WANTED—At once, a young girl as nurse. 1235 Linn st. 70

WANTED—A nurse, 18 or 20 years old, to assist with housework. 3226 Lucas av. 70

WANTED—Nurse for 5-months-old baby. 6 Shaw pl.; take 4th and Chouteau av. cars. 70

### Housekeepers.

WANTED—Housekeeper by bachelor; young lady or young widow preferred. Ad. J 16, this office.

### Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—First-class dressmaker, at 1222 Olive st. 69

WANTED—A dressmaker to make wrappers at home. Call at 1902A Franklin av. 69

WANTED—Experienced shirt makers, also girls to learn; steam power; good wages. 2039 Morgan. 69

WANTED—Experienced presser machine hands, basters and learning girls on vests. 1608 S. 10th st. 69

### Stenographers.

WANTED—A stenographer and typewriter, to whom will be given use of Yost machine and office for services, which will not require over one hour per day. Add. D 20, this office. 60

### General Housework.

WANTED—A good house-girl; white. 1431 Lucas pl. 66

WANTED—Girl for light housework. 3611 N. 9th st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2833 Dayton st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2151½ Geyer av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 518. Vandeventer av. 66

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. 3015 Chestnut st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2208 Chestnut st. 66

WANTED—A girl for housework in small family. 2230 Wash st. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to 4009 Bell av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; 3 in family. 3405 Walnut st. 66

WANTED—A colored girl for general housework. Apply 108 N. 11th st. 66

WANTED—Girl for housework; good home. 1325 Franklin av., 2d floor. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 3418 Meramec st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework Inquire one week, 110 Spruce st. 66

WANTED—A young girl for light housework. Apply 1205 Mississippi av. 66

WANTED—A good German girl for general housework. Address 3061 Cass av. 66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family. 1512 N. Garrison av. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework without washing. 1518 Chouteau av. 66

WANTED—Girl about 15 for light housework; no washing. 2606½ St. Vincent av. 66

WANTED—Colored girl for general housework in small family. 3012 Laclede av. 66

WANTED—German girl for general housework in family of three. 3957 B Finney av 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework in family of two. Call at 4048 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—A young girl about 17 or 18 years old for light housework. 1205 Mississippi av. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework; small family; 5 rooms. 2819 Sheridan av., 2d flat. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; bring ref.; good wages. Apply 2712 Chestnut st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework at 2831 Gamble st.; small family; best wages; keep two girls. 66

WANTED—Girl for light housework and to assist with nursing; no outside work. 4067 Washington av. 66

### Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Young lady to address envelopes at employer's home; one that is careful in getting names out of books. Add. N 15, this office. 63

### Laundresses.

WANTED—A laundress at Hotel Beers. 67

WANTED—First-class starcher and ironers at 1315 Pine st.; laundry. 67

WANTED—Several good starchers at Peerless Laundry, 209 S. 2d st. 67

WANTED—Girls to work on mangle and starch. Dustin's Steam Laundry, 1017 Pine st. 67

WANTED—A girl to learn to iron shirts and one to learn to starch. Pine Laundry, 1313 Pine st, 67

WANTED—A first-class laundress; ref. required Apply Monday 11 a. m. 3531 Washington av.

### Cooks Etc.

WANTED—German cook. 1018 S. 8th st. 68

WANTED—Good cook. 1605 Washington av. 68

WANTED—A good woman cook. 2930 Locust st. 68

WANTED—Experienced cook and house girl. References required. 3130 Lucas av. 68

WANTED—A Swede or German girl to cook, wash and iron. Apply at Euclid and Duncan avs. 68

WANTED—Elderly cook; one that can wash and iron. Call Monday or Tuesday, south side of Russell av., first house east of Grand. 68

WANTED—A good German girl to cook and do general housework in small family; no washing or ironing; highest wages paid. 4333 Olive st. 68

### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A German girl, 13 or 14 years old, at 2740 Papin st. 71

WANTED—A good girl to work in tailor store. 1404 Franklin av. 71

WANTED—Two girls who understand dining-room work. 1706 Lucas pl. 71

WANTED—Chambermaid. Hotel Gossom, southeast corner 6th and Walnut sts. 71

WANTED—A competent chambermaid. Hotel Glenmore, 18th and Olive Sts. 71

WANTED—Two girls experienced in folding; cylinder presses. Call at once, 2810 Clark av. 71

WANTED—A first-class dining-room girl; refs. required. Call March 24, in the morning, at 3439 Lucas av. 71

## LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Chestnut and white colored setter dog. Liberal reward if returned to 1943 Benton; license 1,321. 30

LOST—In vicinity of 11th and Clark av., a large Mastiff dog; leather collar and license; reward if returned to Metropolitan Stables, 1101 Clark av. 30

LOST—Ladies' small open face gold watch and chain, alligator tooth charm, going from Garrison av. and Thomas st. to Grand and Finney avs. Return to 1315 Garrison av.; reward. 30

FOUND—Umbrella—The lady with child please call at the Old Rock Bakery, 417 Lucas av. F. W. Henze. 30

## BUSINESS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Or exchange for land, a patent in raising and lowering street lamps. Address A. Meyer, 1900 S. 12th st., city. 4

WANTED—To sell out paintshop in central location; have complete outfit, horse and wagon, stages, ropes, ladders, etc.; good reason for selling given. Address F 20, this office. 4

## THEATRICAL.

GRAHAM DRAMATIC SCHOOL, 1524 Olive; stage dancing and eocution a specialty. Call for terms. 75

WANTED—5 young ladies and children for first-class dramatic company, ages 5 to 19 years; experience unnecessary. Ad. R 17, this office. 75

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PERSONAL—Will ladies who noticed gentlemen on Boulevard and afterwards on Franklin av., please address A 20, this office. 1

## PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

BATHS—Miss Grace Wright, 902 Pine st., gives sea salt and sulphur baths; massage treatment; alcohol and bay rum rubbings. 74

BATHS—1417 Pine st., Mrs. Brooks, massage parlors; has vapor, sea salt, sulphur and spray baths, bay rum, alcohol and dry rubbings; magnetic and massage treatment. Hours 9 a. m. to 10:30 p.m.

CALL for the doctor at Pope's Pharmacy, 9th and Olive; treats all dis.; charges only for medicines.

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FURNACES, ranges, stoves—Repairs for all kinds made in the United States; copper and galvanized iron work; tin roofs, gutters and spouts repaired and painted. Condon Bros., 11th and Market sts. 74

HIGHEST price paid for cast off clothing. Call or address N. Jacobs, 318 Locust st. 74

HIGHEST price paid for cast-off clothing; call or send postal. M. B. Cohn, 111 S. 6th st. 74

MRS. L. MASSOCK, M. D.; board during confinement; ladies in trouble call. 1002 Chouteau av.

MRS. DR. SILVA gives steam, vapor, massage, electric baths; nervine treatment. 1322 Market.

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MRS. DOCTRESS DOSSEN, ladies' physician. All communications strictly confidential. Ladies in trouble call at 1332 Chouteau av., St. Louis, Mo. 74

MRS. DR. ARTHUR, ladies' physician, receives ladies in confinement; first-class ac. at reasonable terms; ladies in trouble call at 2603 Wash st. 74

MME. RIENER, ladies' physician and midwife; regular graduate of two colleges; female diseases a specialty; ladies received in the house during confinement; charges reasonable. 1504 Clark av. 74

MRS. A. BURGER, M.D., receives ladies during confinement; first-class accommodations at reasonable terms. Ladies in trouble call at 2300 S. 12th st. Take yellow cars at Union Depot going south. 74

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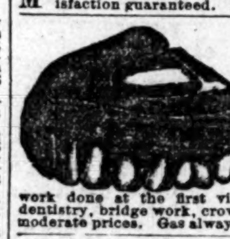
1,000 FINE walnut 8-day strike and alarm clocks, $1.50 to $3; fine Ansonia mantel clocks, $5 to $13; at Dunn's Loan Office. 74

MME. ANNA, the fortune teller of the West, 326 Market st., near 4th; established 1851. 74

MME. LEOHN tells fortunes by burning fluid; satisfaction guaranteed. 1525 Morgan st. 74



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**DR. CAMPBELL & SONS**

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Each day finds some new improvements in the dental art. We make it our business to watch for every advanced idea that promises success, and give our patients the benefit of our investigations.

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A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advances will be treated fairly, and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1017 Morgan st. 31

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MONEY loaned on furniture without removal; any amount; lowest rates. John C. King, 814 Morgan.

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1017 CHESTNUT ST. is the number. I loan any amount on furniture, pianos and other securities in residence; low rates; fair terms. R. W. STALEY, 1017 Chestnut st. 31

**MUTUAL LOAN CO., 216 N. 8TH ST., Near Olive.**

Money loaned at reduced rates on furniture and other personal property. No removal necessary. Business confidential. No commission or charge for papers. Borrowers will receive the best terms and be treated right. Loans can be paid off part at a time and save interest. Do not fail to see us before making a loan.

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If so, call at once and get our rates, which are positively the lowest on any sum from $10 to $10,000. Loans made without publicity or removal of property and carried as long as desired. Part payments taken and costs reduced in proportion. If you have bought furniture or a piano on time and can't meet payments, we will pay it for you. No charges taken out in advance; borrower gets full amount of loan.

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$25 and upwards to loan on furniture at residence without removal; lowest rates; business strictly confidential. C. F. Betts, 1003 Pine st. 31

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## WANTED—AGENTS.

FIRST-CLASS canvassers can make $7 a day soliciting subscriptions for Americanized Encyclopædia Britannica and the Republic. Inquire at special office, 216 N. 4th st. 73

## MUSICAL.

WANTED—A few more pupils for the piano; terms easy. Address S 12, this office. 27

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Southwest Corner Garrison avenue and North Market Street—A block of Flats and Stores, permanently occupied and under very low rents, bringing $3,600 per annum. This property is new, well-built and attractive in appearance. We will sell it for **$27,000.** It pays 12 per cent net on this price, or 20 per cent net on the equity.

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10 AND 12 N. 4TH ST.—Hotel Belmont; nicely furnished rooms at reasonable terms. 13

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623 CHESTNUT ST.—Comfortable down-town rooms. 13

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2818 ADAMS ST.—3 light, airy rooms; 2 large closets, large yard and partly furnished. 13

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms. Apply to 515 Walnut st. 13

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room on the first floor for one or two gentlemen. Add. T 18, this office. 13

FOR RENT—One or two gents can get very nice rooms in a residence on Finney av.; private family; ref. req. Address D 17, this office. 13

## BOARDING.

14 N. 3D ST.—First-class board with rooms, $3.50 to $4.50 per week. 18

200 S. 16TH ST.—Nicely fur. room, so. exp., with board, for twoor three; $4 per week each. 18

1605 WASHINGTON AV.—Well fur. front and back rooms, with first-class board; reasonable rates. 18

2636 LOCUST ST.—Nicely fur. large 3d-story front room, northern and southern exposure, with board; 2 rooms 2d floor. 18

2946 EASTON AV.—Nicely furnished room, with board. 18

FOR RENT—Second story front, southern exposure; breakfast, 6 o'clock dinner; reference exchanged. Address K 19, this office. 18

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## FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

1304½ GRATTAN ST.—A nice 8-room house, on April 1. 14

1520 MISSISSIPPI AV.—Beautiful 10-room residence, fronting Lafayette Park; rent $70. P. G. GERHART & CO., 104 N. 8th st.
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## HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—Furnished room by a transient. Add. K. 17, this office. 21

WANTED—One unfurnished room for quiet gent. Address G 17, this office. 21

WANTED—A quiet gentleman wants an elegantly furnished room; home comforts; transient in good neighborhood. Address A 18, this office. 21

WANTED—2 or 3 unfurnished 2d-story rooms in strictly private family for two adults engaged in business during the day; ref. Add. W 12, this office.

## BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

WANTED—Nicely furnished room with board for lady by a quiet couple; quiet place desired. Address E 17, this office. 20

WANTED—Nice room with board in West End by quiet gentleman; private family; home comforts. Address F 10, this office. 20

WANTED—One large and one small room with board for three, west of 26th; private family preferred; state terms; reference exchanged. Address A 16, this office. 21

WANTED—Two young gentlemen would like to have room and board in private family between Park and Chouteau avs. and 8th and 14th sts.; ref. furnished. Address R 19, this office. 20

WANTED—By husband and wife a large 2d-story front, unfur. room; both absent through the day; breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner; state terms; private family. Add. O 19, this office. 20

## BUSINESS WANTED.

I WILL buy a general merchandise business for cash, if cheap, in Southwest Missouri or Southeast Kansas. Address C 13, this office. 3

## EDUCATIONAL.

WANTED—A young lady wishes to teach class or single pupil in drawing. For particulars address C 20, this office. 29

ELOCUTION taught (day or evening) by thoroughly competent male teacher; dramatic style a specialty; tuition moderate. Add. C 17, this office.

## FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

COAL—25 bushels, $2.25; by the large load, 8½c per bushel, at T. F. Carroll's, 2806 Franklin av.; send postal, or telephone 2984. 5

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FOR SALE—Two beautiful handmade bird cages, finest scroll work in Indian and China style. Call at barber shop, 1711½ Franklin av. For lack of room a large cactus at the same place. 5

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1025 Leonard av., a nice stone front, 6-room dwelling, with all modern conveniences, front and rear yard. Apply at once. CHAS. H. PECK, JR., Telephone 768. 1002 Chestnut st.

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2-story brick row, all rented, close to street cars; we will sell so as to net 12 per cent to purchaser if sold soon, as owner is leaving city.
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ALSO

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ALSO

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ALSO

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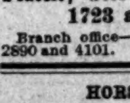

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## LIVE STOCK.

### Union Stock Yards.

DON. N. PALMER, Manager. W. A. RAMSEY, Secy. Market closes 3 p. m.

**Cattle**—The market was active and strong to-day at last week's quotations. There was a fair run of common stuff, which sold steady. Of this kind there was a trade run, but of the better kinds such as butcher cows, heifers and steers more were wanted before the noon close even, with prices strong at last week's figures. Cows and calves of all kinds are still selling easy. The representative sales to-day were:

| No. | Description. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 25 | common Southwest cows and heifers | 772 | $2 25 |
| 15 | native steers | 1,136 | 4 35 |
| 15 | native cows and heifers | 970 | 3 55 |
| 17 | native steers | 1,058 | 4 50 |
| 20 | native cows and heifers | 576 | 3 37½ |
| 20 | common yearling heifers | 575 | 2 37½ |
| 13 | native heifers | 1,138 | 4 35 |
| 13 | Southwest steers | 1,033 | 3 75 |
| 10 | common Southwest cows and heifers | 720 | 2 25 |
| 15 | dairy cows | 1,096 | 3 00 |
| 14 | native steers | 1,056 | 4 50 |
| 13 | native steers | 1,047 | 4 50 |
| 23 | native cows and heifers | 1,000 | 3 65 |

328 retail from $2.95 to $4.75.

**Hogs**—Hogs are higher 10c and stronger to-day than they were at the close on Saturday. There was a fair run and everything sold early. Good to choice packing grades sold at a range of from $4.10 to $4.30; fancy selects, $4.35; uncommon to fair mixed range from $3.60 to $4; skips and culls, $3 to $3.50. The representative sales were:

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 66 | 228 | $4 35 | 84 | 225 | $4 35 |
| 64 | 235 | 4 35 | 61 | 210 | 4 30 |
| 59 | 197 | 4 30 | 88 | 185 | 4 15 |
| 14 | 199 | 4 20 | 45 | 170 | 4 15 |
| 65 | 216 | 4 25 | 28 | 261 | 4 20 |
| 75 | 171 | 4 00 | 80 | 215 | 4 00 |
| 61 | 210 | 4 20 | 89 | 182 | 4 05 |
| 56 | 170 | 4 05 | 62 | 181 | 4 05 |
| 64 | 178 | 4 05 | 63 | 200 | 4 30 |
| 41 | 128 | 3 75 | 45 | 130 | 3 65 |
| 48 | 171 | 3 65 | 70 | 197 | 3 25 |
| 56 | 161 | 4 10 | 58 | 181 | 4 15 |
| 67 | 191 | 4 15 | 58 | 256 | 4 30 |
| 60 | 177 | 4 10 | 60 | 232 | 4 10 |

**Sheep**—There is still a continued demand for more sheep than there is coming in, a complaint which seems to be general at other local points, but which, however, does not prevent shippers from consigning to Chicago, and breaking down prices. The trade prices here are vigorously strong at last week's quotations, good to fancy sheep running as high as $6 per 100 lbs.

| No. | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 30 | native fine | 130 | $5 75 |
| 56 | native good | 103 | 5 50 |
| 11 | native good | 105 | 5 50 |
| 30 | native good | 113 | 5 50 |
| 12 | native fair | 109 | 5 25 |
| 49 | common Southwest | 86 | 4 50 |
| 52 | native fair | 101 | 5 25 |
| 9 | native fair | 87 | 5 25 |

### Stock Yard Notes.

Wm. Almeling, a well-known stock shipper from Wentzville, Mo., was on the market to-day with hogs and got good prices.

J. A. Warren & Co. of Exeter, Mo., a prominent stock raiser and shipper, sent in two car loads of hogs to-day.

P. G. Ewing, Osage, Mo., sent in cows and calves for to-day's trade.

B. F. Brown & Bro., Thebes, Mo., sent in sheep to-day.

The annual business meeting of the Edward Heitzberg Packing & Provision Co. will be held March 30. Among other business three directors are to be elected.

H. Deikman of Arensberg, Mo., was on the market to-day with sheep.

H. Shorman, Feldtman's, Mo., was here to-day with a fine lot of hogs.

M. Glassmeyer of Wessels, Mo., was in to-day with hogs.

Mr. Burt James, the live stock commission merchant, is on deck again, returning this morning from a hunting trip in which he dropped eighty ducks.

All of the offices of the commission merchants at the Union Stock Yards have been renovated and artistically decorated with new papering, pictures, etc.

Mr. James Quinlan of the Union Market was on the trade to-day for good butcher cattle. He's always a buyer of this class of stock.

Mr. James W. Ring, a cattle man, has been off the market for a month or so resting up for the spring trade.

Forsythe & Woodrow, Sarcoxie, Mo., were on the trade to-day with hogs.

J. T. Sweat of Richland, Mo., came in to-day with hogs and sold quick and at good figures.

### Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 23.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 14,000 head; steady; top prices, $4.75@5.75; medium, $4.25@4.50; heifers, $4@4.35; cows, $2.25@3.25. Hogs—Receipts, 30,000 head; active, 15c higher; common, $4@4.20; packers, $4.25@4.40; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $4.40@4.50; light, $4.10@4.40. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000 head; slow; natives, $5@5.50; Westerns, $5.25@5.70; lambs, $5.25@6.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,660; shipments, 1,700. Market 10c to 15c, higher; steers, $3.80@3.90. Hogs—Receipts, 3,160; shipments, 4,550; market 10@15c higher; all grades, $3.15@4.25. Sheep—Receipts, 2,660; shipments, 730. Market steady, unchanged.

### River News.

ARRIVALS.

Spread Eagle....Grafton
Idlewild....Commerce
Crystal City....Grand Tower

DEPARTURES.

Spread Eagle....Grafton
Idlewild....Commerce

NOTES.

Weather clearing, and cooler. River rising very rapidly. Freight business fair.

The Spread Eagle in and out on time.

The popular Idlewild arrived and departed for Commerce with a fine trip each way.

The elegant Crystal City arrived from Grand Tower with a manifest of stock and sundries.

The City of Monroe is receiving to depart Tuesday for Natchez and all way landings.

The Benton will arrive from the Missouri River tomorrow. She departs Wednesday evening.

The City of Sheffield is due from below. She has a fair cargo.

The Lower Mississippi, Ohio and Tennessee Rivers are so high that shipping of freight from and to points on these rivers is almost impossible.

### River Telegrams.

LOUISVILLE, March 23.—Noon—River falling, 13 feet 3 inches in the canal; 10 feet 10 inches on the falls. Clear and pleasant. Big Sandy left for Cincinnati; W. W. O'Neil arrived from Pittsburg.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 22.—River falling. No arrivals or departures. Clear and pleasant.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 23.—River 35 feet 5 inches, falling. Clear and pleasant.

CAIRO, Ill., March 23.—Arrived: My Choice, St. Louis, 8 p. m.; Sidney Dillon, St. Louis, 9 p. m.; Louis Houck, St. Louis, 9 p. m.; Mary Houston, New Orleans, 11 p. m.; City of Sheffield, below, midnight. Departed—Belle of Memphis, Natchez, 6 p. m.; Charlie McDonald, Ohio, 6 p. m.; My Choice, St. Louis, 11 p. m.; Sidney Dillon, St. Louis, 11 p. m.; Sheffield, St. Louis, 1 a. m.; Mary Houston, Cincinnati, 1 a. m.; Houck, St. Louis, 8 a. m. River, 44 1-10 feet, falling. Clear and mild.

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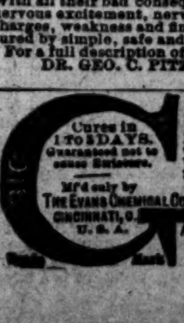


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## ST. LOUIS GROCERY MARKET.

Reported by the Greeley-Burnham Grocer Co.

Established 1838.

Sultan brand of roasted coffee has a larger sale than any other bulk of coffee in the market. It is a high grade combination of java, santos and rio, resulting in fine flavor and great strength. Price always same as for Ariosa. Sultan is put up in 130-lb bags, with 130 paper sacks in each bag.

**Sugar**—Granulated, 6¼c; powdered, 7⅛c; fine powdered, 7⅛c; cut loaf, 7⅛c; yellow, 4½@5¾c; New Orleans open kettle, 4¾@5c.

**Coffee—Green**—O. G. Java, 27@30c; Mocha, 29c; Peaberry, 23½c; golden Rio, 23½c; fancy dark Rio, 22½c; choice, 21¾c; prime, 21½c; good, 20½c; fair, 20c; common, 19¾c.

**Coffee—Roasted**—Arbuckle, Lion and "1838," 1-lb pkgs, 25 90-100c; Buffalo, 130-lb bags, 27c; Sultan, 130-lb bags, 26c; Phœnix, 130-lb bags, 25½c; Challenge, 130-lb bags, 25c; No. 99, 130-lb bags, 24c; No. 18, 130-lb bags, 23c; D. H. & Co., Java and Mocha, 50-lb and 3-lb tins, 33½c.

**Molasses**—H. B., fancy, 39c; St. George, choice, 37c; Eliza, prime, 35c; A. H. G., good, 33c; E. A. W., fair, 27c.

**Syrups**—Sugar, Buffalo, fancy, 46c; brilliant, choice, 39c; diamond drips, prime, 33c; crown, good, 28c; corn, 28c; sorghum, 33@35c.

**Rice**—Fancy, 7c; choice, 6½c, prime, 6c; good, 5¾c.

**Coal Oil**—150 deg, 9¾c; Eupion, 11¾c; Elaine, 17½c; Gasoline, 9½c.

**Canned Fruits**—Apples, 3s, $1.15; gallons, $3.75; blackberries, 2s, 90c; cherries, 2s, $1.35; gooseberries, 2s, $1.10; peaches, 2s, scds, $2; 3s, scds, $2.25; 3s, std white, $2.40; yellow, $2.50; 3s pie, $1.70; pineapple, std, 2s, $1.65; buffalo, 2s, $2.40; grated, 2s, $2.60; raspberries, 2s, $1.40; strawberries, 2s, $1.20@1.35.

**California Fruits**—Apricots, $2.25@2.40; blackberries, $2.50; cherries, white, $2.75; black, $2.50; egg plums, $2; green gages, $2; Crawford peaches, $2.80; pears, $2.75; raspberries, $3.

**Canned Vegetables**—Asparagus, $2.50; baked beans, $1.30@1.50; lima beans, 95c; string beans, 75c; corn, Western, $1.05@1.10; Maine corn, $1.20 @1.50; peas, mft., $1.05; early June, $1.30; ex. sft., $1.85; pumpkin, 3s, 85c; succotash, $1; tomatoes, 2s, 77½c; 3s, $1; Buffalo 3s, $1.05.

**Canned Fish**—Clams, $1.05; codfish balls, 2s, $1.95; crabs, 1s, $2.25; 2s, $3.25; lobsters, 1s, $2.10; mackerel, 1s, 90c; genuine, $1.25; oysters, 1s, $1.05; 2s, $2; shrimps, 1½s, $2.40; salmon, Alaska, $1.05@1.25; Columbia River, $1.65; white fish, 1s, $1.25; 2s, $2.40; sardines, American, ¼s, $4.35; mustard, ¾s, $4.35; imported; ¼s, $10.25 @15.

**Canned Meats**—Chipped beef, 1s, $2.20; corned beef, 1s, $1.10; 2s, $1.75; chicken, 2s, $2.50; 10-oz. potted, $2.85; Chili Concarne, 2s, $2.25; duck, 10-oz., $3; ham, 5-oz., 65c; 10-oz., $1.20; pig feet, 1½s, $1.35; sausage, 1s, ham, $1.70; 1s, Vienna, $1.95; tongue, 5-oz., 65c; 10-oz., $1.15; turkey, 10-oz., $2.90.

**Preserves**—20-lb pails, 8½c; 5-lb pails, per doz., $7.

**Condensed Milk**—Eagle, $7.35; crown, $6.10; dime, $3.75; watch, $4.20.

**Ammunition**—Powder, 25-lb kegs, $5.50; shot, patent, 25-lb bags, $1.40; Eley caps, per M, 60c; U. M. C., per M, 50c; G. D., per M., 35c.

**Baking Powder**—Price's—Lbs, $4.75; ½ lbs, $2.50; ¼ lbs, $1.35. Royal—Lbs, $4.90; ½ lbs, $2.65; ¼ lbs, $1.75. Buffalo—Lbs, $2.60; ½ lbs, $1.50; ¼ lbs, 80c. Town Talk—1 lb, $1.25. U. S. A.—Lbs, $3.50; 12 oz, $2.75; ½ lbs, $1.90; 6 oz, $1.45; ¼ lbs, $1, 3 oz, 80c.

**Beans**—Navy, $2.40; medium, $2.30; lima, per lb, 5¼c.

**Flour**—G. B. G. Co.'s "Best" roller patent, $5.45; ex fcy, $4.95; fcy, $4.30; choice family, $3.80. Rye, $4.65. K. D. meal, $3.10. Hominy, $3.30; grits, $3.30. Buckwheat, pure, $5; patent, $4.50.

**Candles**—Star, 9c; hotel, 10¼c; paraffine, 11@13c.

**Chocolate**—Baker's premium, 34c; sweet, 22c.

**Cocoa**—Van Houten's 1-lb, 72c; ½-lbs, 80c; ¼-lbs, 80c; ⅛-lbs, 96c; Epps', ½-lbs, 37c.

**Candies**—Stick, 8c; royal, 9½c; mixed, 8@12½c.

**Cider**—$6@7 50 ℔ bbl.

**Cheese**—Young America, 13c; Buffalo full cream, 13c; N. Y. factory, 8c; imported Swiss, 28@29c; Edam, $10 per doz.

**Coconnut**—Perfection, 15-lb box, ½-lb and 1-lb, assorted, 25c; 20-lb pails, 15c.

**Crackers**—Soda, 6c; ginger snaps, 8½c; cream, 8½c; sugar, 8½c; cakes and jumbles, 12c, less 15 per cent.

**Extracts**—Buffalo, 2-oz. lemon, $1.15; 2-oz. vanilla, $1.75; Oriental, 2-oz. lemon, 65c; 2-oz. vanilla, 90c.

**Farinaceous Goods**—Barley, 4½c; cracked wheat, bbls, $6.75; cases, $3.65; oat meal, Buffalo, bbls, $6.75; cases, $3.50; peas, green, ℔ bu, $1.15; rolled oats, Buffalo, bbls, $6.75; cases, $3.50; tapioca, 6¼c.

**Dried Fruit, Domestic**—Apples, 11@12c; evaporated, 15c; peaches, ½s, 10½c; blackberries, 9c; raspberries, 32c; pitted cherries, 32c, California evaporated peaches, 19c; apricots, 20c; prunes, 11½@13½c.

**Dried Fruit, Foreign**—Currants, casks, 5c; cases, 7c; citron, 17c; dates, Fard, 12-lb bxs, 10c; 65-lb bxs, 8½c; Persian, 5c; figs, 14@16c; grapes, 6½c; lemon peel, 11½c; prunes, Turkish, bbls, 9½c; royales, 5-lb bxs, 10¾c; French, 55-lb bxs, 11½@13½c; raisins, Valencia, 7½c; sultana, 18@22c; California raisins, muscatel, $2.15@2.60; L. L., $2.40@3.

## THE ST. LOUIS DRUG MARKET.

Reported by the J. S. Merrell Drug Co.

We solicit the orders of merchants only, and can entertain no orders from consumers. Correspondence with country dealers invited.

Indigo—Madras, ℔ lb, 70c.
Insect Powder—℔ lb, 35c.
Iodine—Resublimed, ℔ lbs, 40c.
Iron—Carbonate, precipitated, ℔ lb, 18c.
Lead—Acetate, white, ℔ lb, 18c.
Mace—℔ lb, 85c.
Madder—Dutch, ℔ lb, 12c.

**Magnesia**—Carbonate, K. & M., ¼s, ℔ lb, 22c; calcined, ℔ lb, 45c.
**Manna**—S. F., ℔ lb, 60c.
**Mercury**—℔ lb, 75c; with chalk, ℔ lb, 50c.
**Morphia**—Sulph., ⅛s, P. & W., ℔ oz, $2.45.
**Mustard**—Colman's, 6-℔ cans, ℔ ℔, 30c; Colman's ¼-℔ cans, ℔ doz, $1.25.
**Nutgals**—Ground, ℔ ℔, 25c; powdered, ℔ ℔, 30c.
**Nutmegs**—No. 1, Penang, ℔ ℔, 75c.
**Oil**—Anise, ℔ ℔, $2.00; almonds, sweet, ℔ ℔, 40c; bergamot, pure, ℔ ℔, $4.50; castor No. 1, ℔ gal, $1.15; castor No. 2, ℔ gal, $1.00; castor, machine, ℔ gal, 35c; cassia, ℔ ℔, $1.30; cloves, ℔ ℔, $1.25; hemlock, ℔ ℔, 35c; juniper wood, ℔ ℔, 40c; juniper berries, ℔ ℔, $2.25; lard, w. s., ℔ gal, 60c; lemon, pure, ℔ ℔ $2.50; linseed, raw, ℔ gal, 54c; linseed, boiled, ℔ gal, 57c; neatsfoot, ℔ gal, 50c; organum, ℔ ℔, 40c; olive, Malaga, ℔ ℔, $1.00; peppermint, pure, ℔ ℔, $3.25; pennyroyal, ℔ ℔, $1.75; sassafras, ℔ ℔, 50c.
**Orange peel**, ℔ ℔, 12c; ground, ℔ ℔, 15c; powdered ℔ ℔, 20c.
**Pepper**—Black, Singapor, ℔ ℔, 12c; black, powdered, ℔ ℔, 18c.
**Potass**—Chlorat, ℔ ℔, 16c; iodid, ℔ ℔, $2.90.
**Quinine**—P. & W., oz vials ℔ oz, 40c.
**Red precipitate**, ℔ ℔, $1.10.
**Root**—Ginger, Africa, ℔ ℔, 9c; ginger, Africa, powdered, ℔ ℔, 12c; ginger, Jamaica, bleached ℔ ℔, 20c; ginger, powdered, ℔ ℔, 24c; ipecac, powdered, ℔ ℔, $2.50; jalap, powdered, ℔ ℔, 50c; orris, powdered, ℔ ℔, 25c; rhubarb, E. I., select, ℔ ℔, $1; rhubarb, powdered, ℔ ℔, 75c; sarsaparilla, hon. ground, ℔ ℔, 40c; squills, sliced, ℔ ℔, 15c; seneca, ℔ ℔, 50c; valerian, ℔ ℔, 30c.
**Saffron**, American, ℔ ℔, 35c.
**Sage**, pressed, quarters and halves, ℔ ℔, 10c.
**Silver**, nitat, ℔ oz, 80c.
**Soda**, bi. carb, Eng., ℔ ℔, 3¾c.
**Seed**, anise, ℔ ℔, 15c; canary, ℔ ℔, 4c; cardamon, ℔ ℔, $1; flax, cleaned, ℔ ℔, 8c; flax, ground, ℔ ℔, 4c; hemp, Russian, ℔ ℔, 5c; mustard, white, ℔ ℔, 7c; mustard, black, ℔ ℔, 10c; rape, ℔ ℔, 5c.
**Soap**, castile, mottled, ℔ ℔, 7c; castile, white, H. B., ℔ ℔, 14c.
**Strychnia**, crystal, in ⅛s, ℔ oz, $1.20; powdered, in ⅛s, ℔ oz, $1.20.
**Sulphur**, flor, ℔ ℔, 4c.
**Wax**, bees, yellow, ℔ ℔, 30c; bees, white, ℔ ℔, 50c.
**White Precipitate**, ℔ ℔, $1.10.
**Zinc**, sulphate, ℔ ℔, 10c.

## COMMERCIAL.

### Closing Prices—1:15 P. M.

ST. LOUIS:

| | Closing Saturday. | Highest To-day. | Lowest To-day. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **WHEAT.** | | | | |
| May | 103¾ | 104½ | 103 | 104½ |
| June | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| July | 94⅜ | 97¼@⅜ | 94⅞ | 97⅛ b |
| Aug. | 93 | 95⅛ | 94⅞ | 95 b |
| Sept. | .... | | | |
| **CORN.** | | | | |
| May | 62⅝ b | 65⅜ | 63¼ | 65 b |
| July | 62⅞ n | 64⅞@65 | 63¼ | 64¾ n |
| **OATS** | | | | |
| May | 54⅝ | 55⅜ | 55 | 55 a |

CHICAGO—Reported by Frank J. Brown, rooms 130 and 132, Chamber of Commerce.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| **WHEAT.** | | | | |
| May | 102¼ | 104¾ | 102⅜ | 104⅝ |
| July | 99⅜ | 103 | 100¼ | 102⅞ |
| **CORN.** | | | | |
| May | 66⅜ | 69 | 67⅜ | 68½ |
| **OATS.** | | | | |
| May | 54½ | 55⅜ | 54 | 55 |
| **PORK.** | | | | |
| May | 11.95 | 12.85 | 12.07½ | 12.75 |
| **LARD.** | | | | |
| May | 6.60 | 6.85 | 6.62½ | 6.85 |
| **SHORT RIBS.** | | | | |
| May | 5.95 | 6.10 | 5.85 | 6.07½ |

CHICAGO—Wheat—Closing—May, $1.04⅝; July, $1.02⅞c. Corn—May, 68¼c; July, 67¼c. Oats—May, 55c; June, —; July, 52¼c. Pork—May, $12.75; July, $13.17½. Lard—May, 6.85c; July, 7.12½c. Short ribs—May, 6.07½c; July, 6.37½c.
NEW YORK—Wheat—March, $1.16¾ a; May, $1.12¼ a; June, $1.10½ a; July, $1.08¼ b; Aug., $1.04 b; Sept., $1.03½ n; Dec., $1.05¼ b. Corn—March, 79c n; April, 77c b; May, 74⅝c; June, —; July, 72½c. Oats—March, 60¾c n; April, 60¾ n; May, 60⅝c; July, 59⅝c.
TOLEDO—Wheat—Cash, $1.05½; May, $1.07¼ b; July, $1.01¼; Aug., 98⅛c.

### Receipts and Shipments of Leading Articles at St. Louis,

For the twenty-four hours ending Monday, March 23, 1891, and corresponding day in 1890, as reported by the Merchants' Exchange:

| ARTICLES. | Receipts by River and Rail. 1891. | 1890. | Shipments by River and Rail. 1891. | 1890. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls | 8,066 | 5,488 | 7,606 | 9,937 |
| Wheat, bu | 44,050 | 37,397 | 9,049 | 3,980 |
| Corn, bu | 171,265 | 521,680 | 28,029 | 292,910 |
| Oats, bu | 71,050 | 31,000 | 6,793 | 15,410 |
| Rye, bu | 1,677 | 2,750 | 2,196 | 7,830 |
| Barley, bu | ..... | 24,050 | 1,260 | 1,750 |
| Bran, ship-stuff, sks | 267 | 750 | 1,979 | 3,387 |
| Do. in bulk, cars | 8 | 5 | 4 | 3 |
| Cornmeal, bbls | 625 | 375 | 1,548 | 2,093 |
| Cotton, bls, local | 1,195 | 295 | } 1,350 | } 2,144 |
| Cotton, bls, through | 410 | 877 | | |
| Hay, tons | 646 | 519 | 30 | 73 |
| Pork, bbls | | | 18 | 175 |
| Hams, ℔s | 40,780 | 25,260 | 42,758 | 46,565 |
| Meats, ℔s | 1,945,365 | 674,350 | 966,227 | 790,819 |
| Lard, ℔s | 209,270 | 59,879 | 463,686 | 70,510 |
| Cattle, head | 1,647 | 2,119 | 570 | 808 |
| Hogs, head | 5,133 | 4,537 | 2,667 | 1,134 |
| Sheep, head | 702 | 1,733 | 185 | 1,644 |
| Horses and mules, hd | 205 | 301 | 245 | 240 |

### Movement of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

| | RECEIPTS. Wheat. | Corn. | SHIPMENTS. Wheat. | Corn. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 44,050 | 171,265 | 9,049 | 28,029 |
| Milwaukee | 22,000 | 2,300 | ...... | 6,250 |
| Baltimore | 3,992 | 25,734 | ...... | ...... |
| Toledo | 7,429 | 6,758 | 1,200 | 3,000 |
| New York | ...... | ...... | 27 | 9,713 |
| Chicago | 44,537 | 138,912 | 20,838 | 114,159 |
| Detroit | 25,738 | 3,457 | 8,446 | 2,018 |
| Duluth | 37,906 | ...... | 8,124 | ...... |
| Minneapolis | 236,000 | ...... | 55,290 | ...... |
| Philadel'hia | 2,069 | 13,896 | 4,015 | 10,897 |

### Grain Inspections.

INSPECTED IN:

| Wheat. | Cars. | Corn. | Cars. |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. 2 red | 22 | No. 2 | 121 |
| No. 3 red | 39 | No. 3 | 13 |
| Rejected | 4 | No. 4 | 2 |
| No. 4 | 1 | No. 2 white | 14 |
| No. 2 hard winter | 2 | No. 3 do | 2 |
| No 2 hard spring | 1 | No. 4 do | — |
| No. 3 hard spring | 2 | No. 2 color | 3 |
| Rejected spring | 2 | No grade | — |
| No. 2 Colorado | 20 | | |
| No. 3 do | 1 | Total | 155 |
| Total | 94 | | |

**Oats**—No. 2, 19 cars; No. 3, 10 cars; No. 4, —; No. 2 color, —; No. 3 do, —; No. 2 white, 5 cars; No. 3 do, 7; No. 4 do, —; No. 2 Northern, 2; total, 43 cars.
**Rye**—No. 2, 49 sks; No. 3, —; No. 4, — sks.
**Barley**—No. 2 spring, 1 car; No. 3 do, —; rejected, —.
**Inspections Out: Wheat**—No. 2 red, 8 cars; No. 3 red, 2; No. 4, 1; rejected, —; no grade, —; No. 2 hard, 1 car; No. 4 do, —; No. 2 hard spring, —; No. 3 do, 1; rejected do, 1; No. 2 Colorado, 1 car; No. 3 do, —.
**Corn**—No. 2, 2 cars; No. 3, 3; No. 4, 2 cars; No. 2 white, 5; No. 3 white, —; No. 2 color, —; No. 3 do, —; No. 2 St. Charles, —.
**Oats**—No. 2, 6 cars; No. 3, 4; No. 4, 3; No. 2 white, 1; No. 3 do, 4; No. 4 do, 2.
**Rye**—No. 2, — cars; No. 3, — car.
**Barley**—No. 2 spring, — cars; No. 3, 3; rejected, —.

### Visible Supply of Grain.

Following is a detailed statement (given in 1,000 bu) of stocks wheat and corn in store at principal markets:

| | Wheat. Mch 14. | Mch 21. | Corn. Mch 14. | Mch 21. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 1,226 | 1,189 | 311 | 553 |
| St. Louis harbor | 29 | ..... | 178 | ..... |
| Kansas City | 378 | 347 | 45 | 49 |
| Peoria | 31 | 17 | 302 | 269 |
| Chicago | 6,752 | 6,877 | 282 | 386 |
| Chicago, afloat | 281 | 281 | 34 | 34 |
| Milwaukee | 420 | 414 | ..... | ..... |
| Minneapolis | 5,894 | 5,892 | ..... | 1 |
| Duluth | 4,150 | 4,244 | ..... | ..... |
| Detroit | 178 | 208 | 6 | 6 |
| Detroit, afloat | 41 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Toledo | 679 | 662 | 231 | 364 |
| Toledo, afloat | ..... | ..... | ..... | 60 |
| Indianapolis | 114 | 109 | 83 | 34 |
| Cincinnati | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 |
| Buffalo | 483 | 853 | 47 | 42 |
| Buffalo, afloat | 40 | 40 | ..... | ..... |
| Oswego | 55 | 55 | 80 | 80 |
| Toronto | 106 | 122 | ..... | ..... |
| Montreal | 369 | 380 | 19 | 9 |
| Albany | ..... | ..... | 22 | 27 |
| Boston | 151 | 188 | 74 | 77 |
| New York | 1,013 | 853 | 369 | 350 |
| New York, afloat | 16 | 16 | ..... | ..... |
| Philadelphia | 130 | 133 | 114 | 162 |
| Baltimore | 373 | 387 | 312 | 323 |
| Mississippi River | ..... | 201 | 182 | 232 |
| On lakes | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| On canal | 8 | 8 | 25 | 25 |

| | March 21, '91. | Mch. 14, '91. | Mch. 22, '90. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 23,059,241 | 22,900,113 | 27,632,725 |
| Corn | 2,970,766 | 2,720,365 | 18,117,067 |
| Oats | 2,811,000 | 2,816,466 | 4,513,503 |
| Rye | ...... | 415,855 | 1,484,583 |
| Barley | ...... | 1,863,558 | 1,497,243 |

### Future Sales To-Day.

**Wheat**—May—70 at $1.03, 60 at $1.03⅛, 70 at $1.03¼, 20 at $1.03⅜, 70 at $1.03½, 20 at $1.03¾, 20 at $1.03⅞, 20 at $1.03⅞, 70 at $1.04, 10 at $1.04⅛, 10 at $1.04¼, 20 at $1.04⅜, 70 at $1.04½. July—10 at 94⅜c, 20 at 95c, 20 at 95⅛c, 40 at 95¼c, 120 at 95⅜c, 30 at 95½c, 570 at 95⅝c, 70 at 95¾c, 180 at 95⅞c, 40 at 95⅞c, 160 at 95⅞c, 40 at 95⅞c, 60 at 96c, 40 at 96⅛c, 75 at 96¼c, 30 at 96⅜c, 30 at 96½c, 150 at 96⅝c, 260 at 96¾c, 70 at 96⅞@97c, 270 at 96¾c, 40 at 96⅞@97c, 60 at 96⅞c, 190 at 97c, 60 at 97@⅛c, 90 at 97⅛c, 165 at 97¼c, 50 at 97⅜@½c. Aug.—60 at 93⅞c, 30 at 93⅞c, 25 at 94c, 5 at 94⅛c, 10 at 94⅜c, 75 at 94¾c, 20 at 94⅞c, 30 at 95c, 50 at 95⅛c.
**Corn**—May, 20 at 63¼c, 20 at 63⅜c, 70 at 63⅝c, 20 at 63¾c, 35 at 63⅞c, 30 at 63⅞c, 130 at 64c, 10 at 64⅛@¼c, 20 at 64⅜c, 45 at 64½c, 110 at 64⅝c, 40 at 64¾c, 70 at 64⅞c, 10 at 64⅞@65c, 160 at 65c, 10 at 65⅛c. July, 20 at 63⅛c, 10 at 63⅝c, 10 at 63¾c, 5 at 63⅞c, 10 at 64⅛c, 5 at 64¼c, 70 at 64⅜c, 5 at 64½c, 10 at 64⅞@65c.
**Oats**—May, 25 at 55c, 5 at 55⅛c, 20 at 55¼c, 5 at 55⅜c.

### Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

| | Wheat bu. | Corn bu. | Oats bu. | Rye bu. | Barley bu. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| T'd | 1,188,755 | 552,758 | 302,022 | 2,187 | 34,902 |
| Sat. | 1,286,805 | 535,202 | 290,117 | 2,187 | 41,975 |
| '90. | 1,583,741 | 2,124,038 | 27,352 | 12,561 | 16,100 |
| | No. 2 Red. | No. 2. | No. 2. | No. 2. | No. 2. |
| T'd | 698,179 | 385,125 | 129,801 | 1,822 | .... .... |
| Sat. | 694,896 | 371,678 | 124,248 | 1,822 | .... .... |
| '90. | 1,482,902 | 1,418,952 | 5,738 | 70,076 | .... .... |

No. 2 white corn, 128,321 bu.

## ON 'CHANGE.

### Grain and Flour.

**Wheat**—Strong European markets and the advance in corn put wheat up this morning. There was no let up to receipts at primary points, exports from the Atlantic seaboard very light of wheat and only 30,000 pkgs flour, weather conditions favorable and crop reports, including the Missouri State weekly bulletin, excellent, telling of unusually good prospects for this season of the year and an increased acreage, but with Liverpool up ½@1d and London 3d and all English and French markets firm and corn booming, there were few sellers and no difficulty in working the price up at the opening. A correction of Bradstreet's figures on the world's available supply that made the amount 46,000,000 bu below last year started a bull craze that sent the price flying upward. The increase of 159,000 bu in the visible, against a decrease of 486,000 bu last year, did not cool bull enthusiasm a bit, for after it was announced the market went higher than ever. Latest cables were 1@1½d higher for Liverpool, 20 centimes up in Paris and 1¾@2 marks up in Berlin. There was little set-back to the markets of this country received at any time. The close here was 1⅜@2⅛c above Saturday.

May opened at $1.03 and sold to $1.03¼, to $1.03, to $1.03⅜, to $1.03⅛, to $1.04½ at close. July opened at 94⅞c and sold to 95⅜c, to 95⅛c, to 95⅝c, to 95⅜c, to 96⅜c, to 96⅛c, to 96⅞c, to 96⅝c, to 97⅛c, to 97c, to 97¼@⅜c to 96⅞c to 97⅛c to 96⅞c to 97⅛c and latter bid at close. Aug. opened at 94⅜c and sold to 95⅛c to 94⅞c and at close 95c bid.

SPOT GRADES were strong and higher, but trading light, as offerings were small and generally held far above what buyers would pay. Sales: No. 2 red—1 car regular at $1.02, 2 do, 2 in C. and 3 in St. L. at $1.02½; for E. side $1.03 bid. No. 2 Pacific Coast—3 cars this side early at 98c, 1 do at 99c. No. 2 hard winter—96½c bid St. L., C. and U. No. 3 red—99c bid St. L.

SAMPLES—Larger offerings, and under a good demand from the local millers the market was again higher, all offerings being about cleared up at the advance. Sales: Special bin—1 car rejected spring at 88c, 1 do at 90c, 1 No. 3 hard spring at 90c, 1 No. 4 winter at 97c. Track this side—3 cars No. 2 at $1.03½. East track—1 car No. 2 at $1.05. Sacks—14 musty and damp at 87c, 18 musty at 90c; 88 at 99c, 231 at $1, 336 at $1.00½, 97 at $1.01, 568 at $1.02, 180 at $1.02½, 892 at $1.03, 415 at $1.03¼, 453 at $1.03½.

**Corn**—The highest prices on the crop and for years were seen to-day. It was simply a case of putting the market up where the bulls pleased to, as there was nothing to prevent their doing so. Receipts and supplies in sight were not large enough to worry them, and advices from the country of impassable roads and insignificant offerings, strong foreign markets and rampant domestic markets, the longs playing on velvet and pressing their luck and the bears totally out of the race, left the situation completely at the mercy of the bulls. The visible showed 250,000 bu increase where it increased 1,420,000 bu one year ago, and this was only accepted as a matter of course. The close was strong and 2⅜c above Saturday.

May opened at 63¼c and sold up to 65c to 64⅝c to 65c to 64⅞c to 65⅛c to 65c, and at close 65c bid. July sold at 63⅛c to 64⅝c to 64⅛c to 64⅞@65c, and worth 64¾c at close.

SPOT GRADES were not sought after at the largely higher prices asked, though they did not advance in proportion with futures. A few cars were taken by the local and order trade, but most sales were to carriers. The stated sale of No. 2 was at 64½c, which was 2c above Saturday. Sales: No. 2—1 car short storage this side at 63⅛c, 1 in Cdlt, 3 in C and 6 in St. L. at 63½c, 1 in St. L. at 63⅞c, 2 E. side at 64c, 3,000 bu in St. L. at 64⅛c. No. 2 white—2 cars in Cdlt at 63½c, 1 in St. L. at 64c and latter bid for more. No. 3—1 car in C. at 62½c, 2 in St. L. at 63c; latter bid for E. side. No. 3 white—63c bid St. L. No. 4 offered E. side at 60c, bid 59c.

Later—10,000 bu. No. 2 white sold in St. L. at 64½c.

SAMPLES—Higher; offerings very small. Sales: 2 cars mixed trk this side at 64c, 24 sks white and 95 on the cob p. t. Sacked lots on orders, 70@72c.

**Oats**—Receipts were large and the visible only decreased 5,000 bu, but with wheat and corn largely higher, the speculative market advanced, though quiet and not particularly strong. May sold at 55⅛c to 55c and at close 55c asked.

SPOT GRADES—On call 52c bid for No. 2 regular and 52½c for St. L., but none offered.

SAMPLES—Held firmly at about Saturday's rates. About all the offerings of No. 2 were taken by a shipper at ½c to ¾c advance. Local dealers were standing out and only taking an occasional car of the other grades. Sales: Special bin—1 car no grade at 51c, 1 car musty No. 3 color at 52½c, 1 No 3 at 52¾c, 2 No. 2 and 2 No. 3 at 53c, 8 do at 53¼c, 3 No. 3 white at 53½c, 2 do at 53¾c, 2 northern mixed and 1 No. 3 white at 54c, 3 No. 2 white at 54½c. East track—1 car damaged at 46½c. Sacked lots on orders, 58@60c.

**Rye**—None offered on call and no bids for it.
**Barley**—Steady and firm. Sales: Minnesota—1 car 74c, 1 at 75c.
We quote: Medium at 65@70c; prime at 70@75c; choice at 75@80c; fancy at 80@85c.
MILWAUKEE, March 23.—Barley higher, but dull. Cash and March, 69c; April 69¾c.
**Flour**—Firm, with considerable increase in trading at steady prices. Sales: Bbls—100 at $3.90, 116 at $3.60 to $4.20, 150 at $4.45, 150 at $4.80, 150 at $4.62½, 300 at $4.80, 150 p. t. Sacks—1 car $3.85, 1 at $3.20 to $4.25, 1 p. t.
Quotations range: XXX, $3@3.10; family, $3.35@3.50; choice, $3.70@3.85; fancy, $4.20@4.30; extra fancy, $4.55@4.65; patents, $4.80@4.95. Prices for lots on Levee and on this side.
**Corn Meal**—Higher at $3.05@3.10, and pearl meal, grits and hominy at $3.45@3.55.
**Rye Flour**—Higher at $4.50@4.60.

### Hay and Millfeed.

**Hay**—Receipts, 646 tons. While the receipts show an increase, there was quite a large amount consigned through. The demand was not urgent, but was fair at unchanged prices. Sales this side—Timothy—1 car prime at $11.00, 1 car choice at $12.00, 1 do at $12.25, 2 strictly do at $12.50, 3 fancy at $13. Prairie—1 car strictly prime Iowa at $9.50, 1½ fancy do at $11. East side—Timothy—2 cars prime at $10.50, 2 strictly do at $11, 2 choice at $11.50.
**Straw**—Sale 1 car rye this side at $8.50.
**Bran**—Higher and very strong, but little doing as not much offered and that held at a considerable advance—$1 asked for skd at mill late and 99c bid f. o. b. E. track. Sales—Country fruit—2 cars bulk E. St. L. rate at 85½c, 1 do at 87c, 3 skd Southern point at 93c, 2 E. St. L. rate at 94, 500 sks point below at 95c. At mill—1 car skd early at 98c.

### Provisions.

Again higher, with a strong and excited market, but trading restricted by the prices asked. Everything was away up, and this held buyers off, the demand being light, too. Fully cured dry salt ribs, averaging 50 lbs, had 5.90c c. and f. bid to arrive. Green hams sold at 7⅛c; ribs worth 4.90c for 50 lbs average.
ON THE CALL—Cured D. S. ribs—Cash offered at 5⅞c, bid 5⅝c; March at 5.92½c, bid 5.90c for 50-℔ average.
Bacon ribs—March offered at 6.32½c, bid 6.22½c; April at 6.35c, bid 6.32½c; May at 6⅜c, bid 6.30c; July at 6.70c, bid 6.60c.
**Pork**—Standard mess in small lots at $12.50; on orders, $12.75@13.
**Lard**—Prime steam, 6.35c; leaf kettle, 6½c; jobbing, 7c for fancy and 6½c for seconds.
**Dry Salt Meats**—Loose shipping age f. o. b. and cash orders—Shoulders at 4⅞c; longs, 5.85@5.90c; c'ribs, 5.85@5.90c; shorts at 6@6.05c; boxed shoulders at 4⅝c; longs at 6c; c'ribs at 6c; shorts at 6⅛c. On orders—Boxed longs, 6¼c; ribs, 6¼c; shorts, 6½c.
**Bacon**—Packed shoulders sold at 5c, longs at 6⅝c, c'ribs at 6⅝c, shorts at 6½c. On orders—Longs, 6⅛c; c'ribs, 6⅛c; shorts, 6⅜c.
**Hams**—S. c., 9@11.50c as in size and brand.
**Grease**—Brown, 2½@4¼c; yellow, 3@3½c; white, 3¾@4c for country in regular pkgs.
**Country Meats**—Dry salted shoulders, 3¼@3½c; clear sides, 4¼c; hams, 5⅛c. Bacon—Shoulders, 3½@4c; clear sides, 4½@5c; hams, 5@5½c. Lard, 4@4½c in irregular pkgs.
**Breakfast Bacon**—Sold at 7@8½c per lb. Beef, family sets, $6 per bbl and $3.50 per half bbl.; on orders higher. Dried, 8@9c, and selected, 10@11c per lb. Smoked beef tongue, $5@5.50 per doz.
**Highwines**—Steady at $1.16 in St. Louis, Chicago and Cincinnati; $1.17 in Peoria.

### Lead and Spelter.

**Lead**—No sellers below 4.10c and little to be had at that.
**Spelter**—Steady at 4⅜c.

### Commercial Board.

Wheat—May sold at $1.04⅜ to $1.05⅛, July at 97⅝c to 98c, Aug. at 95⅛c. Puts—July, 96⅜c to 96⅛c, and calls, 98⅛c to $1.
Corn—May sold at 65⅜c and later 65⅛c bid; puts 64c to 63⅞c.
Chicago—May wheat, puts $1.03½ and calls $1.06⅛. May corn, puts 67c and calls 70c.

## ON THE STREET.

*The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise stated. Orders are filled with choice goods, and are charged higher.*

### Berries and Fruit.

**Strawberries**—Receipts from Florida were small, and brought higher prices under a good demand. Condition was fair and sales were at $7 for poor, to $9 per 32-quart case.
**Apples**—Receipts, 333 bbls. That there exists a good demand for choice and fancy sound fruit is shown by the following higher sales. For poor, damaged or slack-packed fruit, however, there is no change to note, and the market continues to drag, with peddlers about the only buyers. We quote the range as follows: Sack-packed, poor or damaged geniting at $2.75@3.50, choice to fancy geniting at $4@5; fancy Ben Davis, willow twig, winesap, etc., at $5.25@5.75 per bbl. On orders, repacked choice to fancy varieties sell at $6.25@6.75 per bbl. Sales: 10 bbls russets at $4.65, 15 bbls geniting and Missouri pippin at $5.25, 40 bbls winesap and willow twig at $5.65.
**Dried Fruit**—Receipts, 124 pkgs. Little or nothing offering, and feeling firmer. Quote: Sun-dried apples—Quarters, 9@10c; peelings, cores or chopped at 2¾c. Sun-dried peaches at 8@9c. Evaporated: Apples—Quarters at 10½@11½c: rings at 12@13c; peaches at 12@15c. Old, wormy, dark, damp or wet fruit less, and fancy more. Sales: 15 sks sun-dried quarter apples at 10c.
**Cranberries**—New Jersey selling quietly in a jobbing way at $9.00 per bbl and $3.00 per bu-box.
**Malaga Grapes**—Quotable at $10@14 per bbl, as to quality.
**Pine Apples**—Quote Havana at $2.50@3 per doz.
**Persian Dates**—Quotable at 4½@5½c per lb for choice to fancy.
**Figs**—Quote layers in boxes at 15@17c per lb, top rate for fancy; in bags at 7c per lb.
**Oranges**—Steady and unchanged. We quote repacked: Florida—Fancy brights in popular sizes, $3.25@3.75; russets at $2.75@3.25 per box; Tangerine at $8 for fancy large; grape fruit at $4; Valencia, 420-size at $4.50@5 per case; Messina on orders at $2.75@3, former for 300 and latter for 200-size box; California Washington riverside naval at $5, riverside seedling at $3@3.25, and mountain seedling at $2.75@3 per box.
**Lemons**—Palermo and Messina in original pkgs quotable at $3.50 for choice to $4@4.50 for fancy.
**Bananas**—Quotable at $1.50@2.25 per bunch for choice on orders.
**Coconuts**—$3.75 per 100, or $35 per 1,000.

### Vegetables.

**Potatoes**—Receipts, 7,203 bu. The arrivals are inadequate to the demand, and the market firmer. Quote: Minnesota or Michigan Hebron, Rose or Peerless at $1.15@1.17½, and Burbank at $1.17½—Wisconsin fancy stock ranges 2@3c per bu more. Inferior stock less. Colorado in sks at $1.25 for choice on basis of last sale; choice Iowa at $1.05@1.10. Sales (delivered): 1 car Wisconsin rose and 1 car Michigan Burbank (latter a little off) at $1.15, 1 car fancy Wisconsin Burbank at $1.20.
**Onions**—Receipts, 453 bu. Firm and unchanged at Saturday's sale of red in bulk and delivered at $2.10@2.15—yellow worth the same. Sprouted, small or inferior less. On orders, red and yellow sell at $5.25@5.50 per bbl. Sale: 1 car red in large bbls at $5.50 per bbl.
**Cabbage**—We note a decline in Southern stock under larger receipts, as well as a falling off in quality. Sales: 18 crates poor at $2.25, 15, 15 and 33 crates fair at $2.50, and 15, 40 and 50 crates fancy solid trimmed stock at $3.25. For latter on orders dealers charge $4@4.25. California selling slowly at 2c in first hands to 2¼@2½c per lb on orders.
**Rutabagas**—Northern steady at 25c per bu in bulk and delivered. On orders, $1.25 per bbl.
**Sweet Potatoes**—Home-grown quotable on orders at $3.50 per bbl for red and yellow Nansemond and $2.75 for red Bermuda. Southern consigned lots nominally quotable at $2.50@2.75 per bbl for red and yellow Nansemond, but are slow sale, while Queen and Bermuda are almost unsalable.
**Celery**—Home-grown quotable on orders at $1.50 per bunch for fancy. Southern consigned at 25c for poor and heated, to 50@75c for choice. No Northern offering. Some California stock selling at 75c@$1 per bunch for choice.
**String Beans**—None on market. Quotable at $3 for white wax and $3.25 for green in Florida bu boxes.
**Tomatoes**—Southern Bermuda quotable at $1@1.10 and Havana at $1.35@1.40 per peck box in lots: on orders, at $1.25 and $1.50 respectively. Some loose unwrapped selling at 60@75c per peck box.
**Green Peas**—Southern quotable at $3 per Florida bu box, but none on the market.
**Cauliflower**—Home-grown on orders at $3@5 per doz, according to size; inferior less. There are some California offerings still on the market selling from $1 to $4 per dozen as to size and quality. Condition, however, generally poor.
**Carrots**—Northern old quotable on orders at $1.75 per bbl. New Southern consigned at 30@40c per dozen bunches; on orders, higher.
**Parsnips**—Choice home-grown quotable on orders at $3@3.25 ℔ bbl.
**Turnips**—Home-grown unwashed on orders at $1 ℔ bbl; Southern, slow sale.
**Lettuce**—Home-grown in shipping order quotable at 80c@$1 ℔ bu-box; Southern not wanted, as receipts are generally out of order; home-grown supplying the demand.
**Egg Plant**—Southern quotable at $2@3 ℔ doz., as to quality; on orders, 25c higher.
**Rhubarb**—Home-grown sells on orders at 50c per dozen bunches for choice.
**Asparagus**—Home-grown on orders quotable at 75@90c per dozen bunches, as to quality.
**Radishes**—On orders, home-grown are quotable at 30c per dozen.
**Green Onions**—Home-grown quotable at 20c ℔ dozen bunches on orders.
**Beets**—Old home-grown on orders at $2 to $2.25 per bbl; Southern selling slowly—quotable at 30@40c ℔ dozen bunches; on orders, 50@60c.
**Cucumbers**—Meeting only a fair demand; choice large are quotable at 60@75c per dozen, and on orders at $1.00 for selections; culls and small stock dead dull at less than foregoing.
**Spinach**—Home-grown in shipping order at $1.25 per bbl.
**Horseradish**—Home-grown quotable quality at $7@8 per bbl on orders.
**Oyster Plant**—On orders, home-grown at 25@35c per doz.
**Soup Bunches**—On orders sell at 40c per doz.
**Sauer Kraut**—Steady at $2 per half bbl and $3.90 per bbl. On orders, 25@50c higher.

### Grass and Flaxseed, Castor Beans, Etc.

[Flaxseed and castor beans are sold subject to inspection and inspector's weights.]
**Grass Seeds**—Millets in liberal offering, and as buyers were holding off but few sales resulted. Clover steady. Timothy quiet, but steady. Sales: 14 sks musty millet at 30c, 40 sks fair German millet at 63c.
We quote prime seeds: Clover at $4.60; timothy at $1.25, red top at 35c, Hungarian at 45c, German millet at 90c on basis of last sale. All trashy or inferior seeds less, according to quality.
**Flaxseed**—Receipts, 3,274 bu; shipped, none. In larger offering and lower, 4 cars Western selling this side at $1.19, pure basis. Northwestern seed quotable higher.
**Hempseed**—Salable at $1.45 for prime.
**Buckwheat**—Prime salable at 60c.
**Castor Beans**—Receipts, 30 bu; shipped, none. Steady. A car prime sold at $1.45, and 40 sks at $1.40. Small lots or inferior quotable at $1.35@1.40.
**Onion Sets**—Firm for tops at $4.25.
**Cow Peas**—Sales: 34 sks clay-colored at $1.25, 15 sks whippoorwill at $1.35.

### Butter and Eggs.

**Butter**—Receipts, 52,353 lbs. A further decline is looked for at Elgin to-day. Should it occur dealers will again mark down their prices. On this account buyers are taking only for immediate use. There are no large stocks of any of the table grades, and dairy is really scarce. We Quote:

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|---|---|
| **CREAMERY.** | |
| Choice to fancy separator and set milk | 27 @28 |
| Choice to fancy gathered cream | 25 @26 |
| **DAIRY.** | |
| Fancy, selected | 25 @26 |
| Good to choice | 22 @24 |
| Medium | 18 @22 |
| Poor, streaked and off flavor | 10 @15 |
| Fresh ladles | 23 @25 |
| Northern roll | 19 @21 |
| Near-by country roll—fair to fancy | 14 @18 |
| Near-by store packed | 10 @12 |
| Poor and grease | 3 @ 8 |

**Cheese**—Light offerings, good demand and firm. We quote: Wisconsin full cream twins, 11¼@11½c; singles, 12c; Young America, 12c; Southern Wisconsin twins, 9½@10½c; Young Americas, 10@10½c; fancy 1-lb skims (twins), 9@9½c; skims, 6½@7½c; Swiss, 15½@16c; Limburg, 14@14½c; brick, 15@15½c; Missouri, Kansas and low, off flavor and sharp, 5@6½c ℔ ℔.
**Eggs**—Receipts, 3,965 pkgs. The demand from local shippers for Easter account, in Eastern markets being almost at an end, bids were lower, and as receipts were larger sales were lower, the market selling down to 17c, with the close firm. Goose eggs quotable at 50c and duck eggs at 20c.

### Poultry and Game.

**Live Poultry**—Fair receipts of chickens, with a good demand from local dressers. There was a shipper in the market as well, who was making up a carload. Prices were better. Turkeys in light demand at full quotations. Ducks and geese in moderate offering and fair demand. Spring chickens sell readily at $3@4 per doz.

| | Per lb. | | Per lb. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Turkey, hens | 11½c | Chickens— | |
| Turkey, toms | 10½c | Hens | 7½c |
| Ducks | 9c | Young roosters | 6c |
| Geese, feathered | 5c | Old roosters | 4c |
| Geese, plucked | 4½c | | |

**Dressed Poultry**—Market very quiet, and about the only offerings were chickens. Demand slow, as season for dressed stock has almost expired, and shippers had better ship none but live poultry from now on. We quote nominally:

| | Per lb. | | Per lb. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Turkeys— | | Ducks— | |
| Small fat hens | 14c | Choice fat | 11c |
| Gobblers | 13c | Rough and poor | 10c |
| Chickens— | | Geese— | |
| Current receipts | 8@8½c | Choice fat | 8c |
| Old roosters | 5@6c | Rough and thin | 6@7c |

☞ Poultry with heads and feet on, entrails in, or when dry picked, are not wanted. Sales run about 1@2c under drawn, and with heads and feet off.
**Game**—Excepting that ducks were in light receipt, fair demand and firmer there were no changes to note in the market. Snide firm and in demand, but all else quiet and nominal. Quote.

| | Per doz | | Per doz. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ducks— | | Snipe | $1 50 |
| Canvas back | $5 00 | Rabbits— | |
| Mallard, undrawn | 2 50 | Jack | 1 25 |
| Red head | 2 50 | Common, fresh | 65@75 |
| Teal | 1 50 | Squirrel | 60 |
| Mixed | 75 | Pigeons, tame live | 1 25 |
| Wild geese | 3 50 | Pigeons, wild, live | 1 25 |
| Brant | 2 50 | Opossum, each | 10@20 |

**Live Veals**—Light arrivals—Demand was moderately good for choice selections, while rough and thin were slow. Sales range: 4½c for selections, 3@4c for medium, and 2@2½c for heretics, rough and thin per lb.
**Dressed Hogs and Pigs**—Quotable at 3@4c for hogs and 5c per ℔ for small roasting pigs.
**Sheep**—Spring lambs range at $2@3.50 per head, according to size and quality; old bucks and ewes, 3@4½c per ℔.

### Hides, Feathers, Etc.

**Hides**—Receipts, 218,475 ℔s. Prices are more or less nominal in all the leading markets, but actual sales can only be made at shaded figures.
Quotations: Green salted—No. 1, 5¾c; No. 2, 4¾c; bull and stag, 4½c; Southern, ¼c, and uncured 1c less. Dry flint—No. 1, 10½c; No. 2 and skins weighing less than 10 ℔s at 8c; bulls and stags, 7c; dry salted at 8c for No. 1 and 6½c for No. 2; glue at 2c for green, 4c for dry. Dry flint selling round 8@8½c for average run to 9½@9¾c for heavy butcher and dry salt at 7@7½c; green salted at 5@5½c, latter for Missouri, etc.
**Deerskins**—Quiet. Prime flints, native, 26c; Texas and mountain, 22@23c; salted, damaged, meaty, etc., half price. Antelope, 13@15c.
**Tallow**—Firm; prime and strictly prime in oil bbls, 4½c; cake, 4¾c; No. 2 at 4c.
**Goatskins**—Steady at 10@30c. Hogskins, 15@30c.
**Sheepskins**—Active. Green—Large, full-wooled $1@1.25; medium-sized or fairly wooled, 60@80c; lamb and short-wooled, 35@55c; dry, 10@15c less. Shearlings—Green, 20@40c; dry, 5@30c; Texas pelts, 9@9½c ℔ ℔.
**Feathers**—Active and scarce.
Quotations: Prime live geese, 41@42c, top rate for small sks; prime gray, 36@38c; quilly, unripe, etc., 33@35c; renovated X, 36@38c; XX, 28@30c; XXX, 20@22c; mixed, old, etc., 15@35c; chicken, dry-picked at 4½c—white at 25c; duck at 25c for dark to 35c for white; turkey, body, 2c; (laid straight in light boxes), 10@12c; tail do, 10@15c; tare, 3@10 per cent.
**Beeswax**—Firm; prime at 27c; burnt, half price.

### Wool.

Receipts 14,370 ℔s. There is steady sale for all offerings at unchanged prices.

| UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES. | Bright Medium. | | Braid to coarse. | Low, sandy. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mo., Ill., E. Iowa, etc | 24 | @25 | 19@22 | 16@17 |
| Kansas and Nebraska | 20 | @22 | 14@18 | 11@12 |
| Texas, Ark. and Ind. Ty (8 to 12 mo. | 23 | @24 | 18@21 | 15@16 |
| Texas, Ark. and Ind. Ty (4 to 6 mo. | 19 | @21 | 14@17 | 11@12 |
| Colo., Utah, New Mex, etc | 20 | @22 | 16@19 | 13@14 |
| Mont., Wyoming, etc | 21 | @23 | 18@20 | 15@16 |

| UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES. | Fine. Light. | | Heavy. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mo., Ill., Eastern Iowa, etc | 21 | @23 | 16 | @19 |
| Kansas and Nebraska | 18 | @20 | 13 | @16 |
| Texas, Ark., and Ind. Territory (8 to 12 mo. | 21 | @23 | 15 | @18 |
| Texas, Ark., and Ind. Territory (4 to 6 mo. | 18 | @20 | 12 | @14 |
| Colo., Utah, New Mexico, etc. | 19 | @21 | 13 | @16 |
| Montana, Wyoming, etc | 20 | @22 | 15 | @16 |

Tub—Choice, 35c; inferior, 29@33c. Black, 3@5c off. Sacks—Texas, 3-℔ tare, 10c; regular long sks, 2½-℔ tare, 15c. Burry, cotted, etc.—Slightly, 3@5c off; moderately, 5@6c off. Hard, burry, etc—14c ℔ ℔ for Southern to 16c for Missouri and similar.

### Furs.

The market opens dull and weak. Prices are downward in tendency; quality rapidly growing poorer. Raccoon, opossum and muskrat are dull and weak, but other articles are in fair demand. Mink, beaver, otter and good skunk are best sustained.
Quotations are in cents per piece unless otherwise stated, and are meant to cover average receipts of seasonable stock—extreme Southern bringing 10@15 per cent less and Northern more. "Springy" skins grade 3s, 4s and scabs.

| | No. 1 Large. | Med. | 2. | 3. | 4. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Raccoon | 50 | 40 | 30 | 20 | 10 |
| Mink | 60 | 45 | 35 | 25 | 10 |
| Fox—Gray | 45 | 35 | 25 | 15 | 10 |
| Fox—Red | $1 00 | 80 | 60 | 30 | 15 |
| Otter | 7 00 | $5 50 | $4 50 | $2 50 | 75 |
| Beaver | 8 00 | 6 00 | 4 50 | 2 50 | 75 |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Skunk—Black | 80c | Wild Cat | 10@40c |
| Short stripe, prime | 60c | Wolf—Timber | 25c@$1 50 |
| Narrow stripe, prime | 35c | Coyote | 10@55c |
| Broad stripe, prime | 15c | House and Civet | |
| Ind. Ty. (round) | 35@55c | Cat | 5@15c |
| Opossum (round) | 5@6c | Badger | 5c@75 |
| Muskrat—Spring | 15c | Bear | $1 00@10 00 |
| Fall and winter | 10@13c | "Scabs" are worthless. | |

☞ 10 to 15 per cent is deducted on "open" mink, fox, otter, skunk, opossum, muskrat, civet and housecat. Other articles are preferred "open."

### Miscellaneous Markets.

**Roots**—Ginseng, $2.50@2.75; seneca, 27@28c; snake, 25c; blood, 2c; Mayapple, 2½c; golden seal, 20c; angelica, 5c; pink, 13c; black, 5c; wahoo root bark, 10c, and bark of trees, 6c; blue flag, 5c; bitter sweet bark, 6c.
**Moss**—We quote: Machine picked—XXXX, 7@7½c; XXX, 6¼@6¾c; XX, 5¼@5¾c; X, 4¼@4½c. Rough—Black, 4½@5c; brown, 4@4½c; gray and brown-mixed, 3¼@3¾c; gray, 3c.
**Scrap Iron, Etc.**—Wrought, 70c; heavy cast, 30c; plow, 50c; stoveplate, 35c; malleable and burnt, 25c. Brass—Heavy, 9c; light, 6c; copper, 9c; lead, 4¼c; zinc, 2½@2¾c; pewter, 10c.
**Rags, Etc.**—Country mixed rags, 70@80c; paper, 2c; old rubber, $2.50; old rope, $1.25@2.25.
**Bones**—Quote: Buffalo—No. 1 bleached, $18@19; No. 2 bleached, $15@17; green junk, $8; dry junk, $12; green butcher, $9@10.
**Honey**—We quote: Comb at 12@14c; fancy white clover, 15@17c; inferior, less; strained and extracted at 7@9c in cans and 5¼@6c in bbls.
**Sorghum**—Quotable at 27@30c per gallon, as to quality.
**Broom Corn**—We quote: Common at 2¼@2¾c; medium at 2¾@3¼c; choice at 3¼@4c; fancy higher, and damaged and crooked half price.
**Hops**—California, 32@34c; choice Washington, 34@35c; choice New York, 36@38c; imported, 65c.
**Cooperstuffs**—Shaved hoop, slack-work flour barrels, country-shaved, $3.50@4; cooper-shaved, $5.50; half-barrels, $2.50; patent, $6.75@7.25. For tight work—Pork barrels, oak, $6.50@7; hickory, $7.50. Lard tierces, oak, $8.50@9.50; hickory, $12. Staves—Flour barrels, No. 1, $7; culls, $4; beer kegs, $18; sawed and listed pork barrels, $18@19; lard tierces, $23@24. Flour barrel headings, 4½c per set.
**Cooperage**—Flour bbls, hickory hoops, 32½@33½c; patent hoops, 29c; half bbls, 23c; produce bbls, 23c; meal bbls, 26½c; pork bbls, 90c; half bbls, 80c; lard tcs at $1.05 E. track; half tcs, 65c; kegs, 37½@40c.
**Sacks**—We quote: Burlaps—2-bu, 5⅜c; 2½-bu, 6c; 2¾-bu, 6¼c; 3-bu, 6¾c; 4-bu, 7¼c; 5-bu, 8c; 6-bu, 8¼c; 7-bu, 8½c. Cotton—Seamless, 15@22c. Flour—96-℔, 7¼@9c; 200-lb, 14@23c. Wool, 26@33c per sack.
**Empty Barrels**—Black, 45c; lard oil, 69c; linseed oil, 60c; whisky, iron hoop, 65@75c; wood do at 40c; coal oil, 95c; lard tcs, 25c; molasses, 30c.
**Salt**—We quote domestic at 95c East side and $1 this side ℔ bbl.
**Hemp**—Nominal. Missouri undressed, $90@100.
**Baling Stuffs**—Quote: Iron cotton ties, $1.35@1.40; hemp twine in job lots, 10c. Bagging—1½-lb, 5½c; 1¾-lb, 6c; 2-lb, 6½c; 2¼-lb, 7½c.
**White Beans**—Sales of country range from $1.25 per bu for weevily, to $1.85 for choice small heavy. From store, Eastern hand-picked medium sells at $2.@2.25, and peas and navy at $2.30@2.35 per bu.
**Green Peas**—Quote from store: Green at $1@1.05; Scotch at $1.05@1.10 per bu.
**Pop Corn**—We quote: White rice at 2@2½c; old white at 1¾@2c; old mixed and new at 1@1½c per lb.
**Nuts**—Hickory: Shellbark—Small at 35@40c and large at 15@20c per bu. Pecans—Quiet; quotable at 10c per bu for Western, 10½@11c for Territory, to 12c for large Texas. Walnuts—20@25 per bu. Peanuts—Quiet. Quote farmers' stock, free from dirt, at 2½@2¾c per lb for red and white; there is a percentage off as to quantity of dirt among receipts. Hazelnuts—2@2½c per lb.

### Commercial Notes.

New Orleans cleared 39,775 bu corn for Liverpool.
New York reported foreign houses buying wheat.
An increase in the visible of wheat at this season of the year is unprecedented.
Weather clearing—50 deg. at 12 o'clock. Loca forecast: Fair, followed by light rain or snow; colder.
The amount on ocean passage should show an increase to-morrow, but all signs fail during a bull market.
New York wired that exports from Atlantic ports last week were 440,000 bu wheat, 608,000 bu corn and 108,000 pkgs flour.
A Paris cable stated that France would require 15,000,000 qrs or 120,000,000 bu wheat outside her own crop.
Beerbohm states that up to March 6 the exports of wheat from the Argentine Republic to Egland were about 1,200,000 bu—largely in excess of last year to date.
Bradstreet corrects his figures on the available world's supply of wheat from 280,000,000 bu to 230,000,000 bu, against 276,000,000 one year ago, a deficit of 46,000,000 bu.
Shipments of wheat from India last week were 160,000 bu to United Kingdom and 120,000 bu to Continent, a total of 280,000 bu, against 320,000 bu the week before and 140,000 bu for corresponding week last year.
Private wire to Geo. H. Small: "A London letter states that supplies in United Kingdom, including farmers' deliveries and imports, fall 5,600,000 bu below their requirements for the months of January and February, and it is estimated the deficiency will be 2,400,000 bu in March, leaving stocks in first hands on April 1 at an unprecedentedly low figure."
A Baltimore exporter now in the United Kingdom, writes that everybody seems to be much exercised about the corn situation. It is said that the Danubian and La Plata maize is getting in smaller compass, and that the Irish demand will be very great in April and May on account of the shortness of potatoes. Yet they claim that if America shows any disposition to sell, everybody would hold off and prices go down, but if it is held stiff they will be found to pay our prices for what little we may be able to ship.
There has recently been a good consumptive demand for wheat at Antwerp, for both Belgium and abroad, and especially from France, which has been paying full prices for all good qualities. Stocks are small and fresh supplies insignificant—only about 160,000 bu. Heavy supplies, particularly from the River Platte, are due this month. The first arrivals have come in and show excellent quality and condition, which, if continued, will make this description a favorite wheat. The amount of wheat on passage to Antwerp is 1,394,000 bu, against 1,600,000 bu one year ago. The stock of flour in the hands of millers is small.
Beerbohm, March 6, says: "There has been an unusual amount of activity in the South Russian wheat markets this week, especially at Odessa, where there has been an increased demand for Mediterranean ports and for Spain. Advices of March 1, from a very reliable source, state in fact that an enormous business has been done, 4,600,000 bu of wheat being sold ex-store, and thus reducing stocks of wheat to the low point of 1,820,000 bu. Stocks in the interior were also small and prices had advanced 6 to 7 per cent. The stock at Odessa was estimated at 5,200,000 bu, which is evidently much too high, and although it seems difficult to understand so large a reduction as above stated, it is by no means impossible. On Jan. 1 the stock was 9,880,000 bu and Feb. 1 about 7,200,000 bu. In the two months the official records show that about 8,000,000 bu have been exported, and it is a fact that the fresh supplies from the interior, owing to the severe weather, have been very small."
Minneapolis private elevator stocks increased last week 181,000 bu, but stocks in Northwestern country elevators decreased 301,000 bu and are now 6,166,000 bu.
The barges began to-day receiving the 200,000 bu No. 2 hard wheat that was sold last week for export. It was also stated that all the Pacific Coast wheat now in store would be shipped this week. Ocean freights from New Orleans to Europe are reported as only half what they were last year at this time.

### Coffee Market.

As reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffee & Spice Co.:

| | First call. | Second call. | Third call. |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 17.75 b | None | None |
| April | 17.55 b | None | None |
| May | 17.50 | 17.50 | 17.50 |
| June | 17.05 b | None | 17.10 |
| July | 16.75 b | 16.85 | 16.80 |
| August | 16.50 b | None | None |

Fair coffee in New York, 20c.
Mail pouch coffee in St. Louis, 25.90c.
NEW YORK, March 23.—Regular first nominal; good second mil; Exchange, 17⅛. Receipts, 4,000. Stock, 143,900. Market firm. Rio shipments by steamer to United States, 30,000. Rio shipments by sail to United States, 7,000. Rio shipments to Europe, 2,000. Rio shipments for United States, 39,000. Rio purchases for Europe, 6,000. Freight per steamer to United States, 45c and 5 per cent primage. Steamers loading at Rio for United States, 5. Good average Santos 9 mil, 300. Santos receipts, 7,000. Stock, 170,000. Market quiet. Santos shipments for United States, 56,000. Europe, 19,000; Santos purchases for United States, 10,000. Europe, 25,000. Santos freight per steamer to Havre, 25c and 10 per cent primage. Steamers loading at Santos for United States, 2. For Europe, 4. Cleared from Santos March 21, steamer Advance, 1,000.


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### Chicago Market Letters.

Private Wire to J. P. Grier.
CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat, influenced by stronger calls and wild provisions and corn markets, scored another advance, closing near the top, and as everything, even provisions, have now had a large advance, some are turning their attention to wheat, believing it at the price to be the lowest thing in the speculative list.
Corn and oats again wild and strong, closing a little off from the top, but considering the price with the advance well maintained.
Under inspiration of a higher and excited hog market provisions advanced sharply, there being a large trade with considerable outside buying as well as realizing, and we look for a stronger opening to-morrow. The boom seems to be on and is as resistless as Niagara. F. G. LOGAN & CO.

### Cotton.

The general tenor of spots was quiet, including the home market, in which 950 bales sold. A decline in futures is noted, New York closing 2 to 5 points off, while New Orleans was 3 to 4 points and Liverpool steady to 2 points down.
LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS—Low ordinary, nominal; ordinary, 6 13-16c; good ordinary, 7 9-16c; low middling, 8⅛c; middling, 8¾c; good middling, 9 13-16c; fair middling, 10⅜c; fair, nominal. Tinges ⅛c and stained ¾c lower than white.
ST. LOUIS MOVEMENT:

| | This season. | Last season. |
|---|---|---|
| Gross receipts to-day | 1,615 | 583 |
| Gross receipts since Sept. 1 | 574,248 | 511,848 |
| Net receipts to-day | 1,331 | 206 |
| Net receipts since Sept. 1 | 279,212 | 222,511 |
| Shipments to-day | 2,233 | 1,943 |
| Shipments since Sept. 1 | 480,790 | 466,394 |
| Stock on hand | 94,032 | 45,966 |

RECEIPTS TO-DAY AT LEADING RECEIVING CENTERS.
GALVESTON—Receipts, 1,898 bales; market quiet at 9c.
MOBILE—Receipts, 696 bales; market quiet at 8⅞c.
MEMPHIS—Receipts, 2,287 bales; market dull at 8⅞c.
AUGUSTA—Receipts, 526 bales; market steady at 8¾@⅞c.
SAVANNAH—Receipts, 4,336 bales; market quiet at 8 5-16c.
CHARLESTON—Receipts, 3,603 bales; market steady at 8⅞c.
NORFOLK—Receipts, 797 bales; market steady at 8⅞c.
WILMINGTON—Receipts, 174 bales; market quiet at 8⅝c.
BOSTON—Receipts, 719 bales; market steady and easier at 9c.
PHILADELPHIA—Receipts, 88 bales; market quiet at 9½c.
BALTIMORE—Receipts, —— bales; market nominal at 9c.
NET RECEIPTS, EXPORTS AND STOCKS OF ALL UNITED STATES PORTS FOR 3 DAYS.

| | 1891. | 1890. |
|---|---|---|
| Receipts this week | 15,060 | 5,253 |
| Receipts last week | 13,487 | *3,821 |
| Exports | 24,098 | 14,569 |
| Stock | 653,254 | 406,726 |
| Net receipts since Sept. 1 | 6,117,888 | 5,499,294 |

*Week later last year.
NEW ORLEANS—Receipts, 1,710 bales. Spot quiet and steady at 8 11-16c. Futures at 12:25 p. m. dull. March, —; April, 8.48c; May, 8.55c; June, 8.62; July, 8.69c; Aug., 8.70c.
AMERICAN COTTON IN SIGHT TO MARCH 20.

| | 1890-'91 | 1889-'90. |
|---|---|---|
| Received at ports to | 6,102,187 | 5,529,305 |
| Interior stocks in excess of Sept. 1 | 307,526 | 142,015 |
| Total receipt from plantations to | | |
| Net overland to | 855,748 | 823,015 |
| Southern consumption to | 394,000 | 368,000 |
| Total in sight | 7,659,461 | 6,862,335 |
| Increase of 1891 over 1890 | 797,126 | |
| Northern spinners' takings | 1,642,234 | 1,605,942 |

NEW YORK—Receipts, 1,443 bales. Spot—Middling quiet at 9c.

| | Closed Saturday. | Highest To-day. | Lowest To-day. | Closed To-day |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 8.71 | 8.71 | 8.63 | 8.66 |
| April | 8.73 | 8.73 | 8.68 | 8.70 |
| May | 8.82 | 8.83 | 8.78 | 8.80 |
| June | 8.91 | 8.92 | 8.87 | 8.89 |
| July | 9.00 | 9.02 | 8.97 | 8.97 |
| August | 9.03 | 9.05 | 9.01 | 9.01 |
| September | 9.05 | 9.05 | 9.02 | 9.02 |
| October | 9.05 | 9.05 | 9.02 | 9.02 |
| November | 9.05 | 9.05 | 9.02 | 9.02 |
| December | 9.07 | 9.06 | 9.04 | 9.04 |
| January | 9.10 | 9.10 | 9.09 | 9.09 |
| February | | 9.14 | 9.13 | |
| | Quiet. | | | Steady. |

Sales to-day, 52,200 bales.
LIVERPOOL—Spot: Business moderate at easier rates, Uplands, 4 15-16d. Sales, 10,000 bales; receipts, 20,000 bales, of which 16,500 American.

| | Closed Saturday. | Closed To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| March | 4.53 | 4.52 |
| March and April | 4.53 | 4.52 |
| April and May | 4.55 | 4.53 |
| May and June | 4.60 | 4.58 |
| June and July | 5.00 | 4.62 |
| July and August | 5.03 | 5.01 |
| August and September | 5.04 | 5.02 |
| September and October | 5.02 | 5.02 |
| October and November | 5.02 | 5.01 |
| November and December | 5.01 | 5.01 |
| December and January | 5.02 | 5.01 |
| | Steady | Quiet and steady. |

WORLD'S VISIBLE SUPPLY ON MARCH 20.

| | This Year. | Last Year. |
|---|---|---|
| Stock at Liverpool | 1,135,000 | 1,081,000 |
| Stock at London | 17,000 | 15,000 |
| Total Great Britain | 1,152,000 | 1,096,000 |
| Total Continental | 549,800 | 452,600 |
| Total European | 1,701,800 | 1,548,600 |
| India afloat for Europe | 165,000 | 260,000 |
| Egypt, Brazil, etc | 35,000 | 24,000 |
| India, Egypt, etc., stocks in Great Britain and on Continent | 421,800 | 342,600 |
| Great Britain's stock, American | 833,000 | 858,000 |
| United States stock, American | 447,000 | 348,000 |
| Continental stock, American | 1,006,054 | 585,623 |
| Afloat for Europe | 387,000 | 304,000 |
| Total American | 2,673,054 | 2,095,623 |
| Total India, etc | 621,800 | 626,600 |
| Total visible supply | 3,294,854 | 2,722,223 |

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Wheat—Receipts, 75,600 bu; sales, 3,624,000 bu; early unchanged to ⅛c decline advanced, ⅛@1c, foreigners buying and shorts coverings; March, $1.15¼; May, $1.10⅝@1.11⅛; June, $1.08⅞@1.09⅜; July, $1.06⅝@1.07⅛; Aug., $1.02⅞@1.03½; Sept., $1.02⅞; Dec. $1.04⅛@1.05. Corn—Receipts, 61,500 bu; sales, 1,248,000 bu, stronger, 1c up; fairly active; No. 2, 77½@79c; mixed, 77@77½c. Oats—Receipts, 74,000 bu; sales 75,000 bu; dull, stronger; Western, 57@64c. Beef firm, active; extra mess, $7@7.50; family, $9.50@10.50. Pork in good demand and firm; new mess, $12.75@13.25; old mess, $11@11.50; extra prime, $10.25@11.25. Lard quiet and firm; steam rendered, 6.75c. Butter—Receipts, 8,966 pkgs; firm and fair demand; Western dairy, 13@27c; Western creamery, 21@31½c; Elgins, 32½c; imitation creamery, 20@29c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,971 pkgs; fairly active and firm; Western, 20c. Sugar—Raw firm and in fair demand; fair refining, 5 1-16c; centrifugals, 96 test, 5 11-16c; refined, quiet and steady; crushed, 6⅜c; granulated, 6¼c. Turpentine—Inactive and firm at 40¾@41½c. Molasses in fair demand and firm; New Orleans, common to fancy, 23@30c. Tallow quiet and strong; city ($2 for pkgs), 5¼c. Coffee—Rio contracts were steady at unchanged prices to 10 points decline on dull trading and weak foreign news. The receipts at Brazil were small, only 11,000 bags; rio on spot was steady; No. 7, 18⅜c.
NEW YORK, March 23.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands, 9c; middling Orleans, 9 7-16c; sales, 84 bales. Futures opened steady; March, 8.65c; April, 8.70c; May, 8.79c; June, 8.88c; July, 8.98c; Aug. 9.02c; Sept. 9.03c; Oct. 9.02c; Nov. 9.03c; Dec. 9.04c; Jan. 9.08c; Feb. 9.14c.
CHICAGO, 9:30 a. m.—Opening: Wheat—May, $1.02⅝. Corn—May, 67c. Pork—May, $12.25. Lard—May, 6.65c.
CHICAGO, Ill., March 23, 11:05 a. m.—No. 2 wheat—May, $1.04@⅛; July, $1.02⅛. No. 2 corn—May, 68¾c; July, 66⅞c. No. 2 oats—May, 54¾c; July, 52c. Mess pork—May, $12.55; July, $12.95. Lard—May, 6.75c; July, 7c. Short ribs—May, 6c; July, 6.30c. Everything went booming on the Board of Trade to-day. May wheat opened at $1.02 and was strong, in sympathy with corn, never below the first quotation. As corn grew more excited, dragging everything else after it, the shorts in wheat became frightened and rushed in to cover their trades. A bit of lively skyrocketing was the result and amid much excitement the prices had advanced to $1.04¼, the highest price paid on the present crop, by 11 o'clock. Corn opened strong at 67c for May, and as the squeeze tightened, the shorts began to make frantic efforts to get out, and at 11 o'clock 68⅞c was bid with prospects of higher figures, though that price was the highest paid on the current crop. Oats moved up in sympathy. Receipts of hogs were light and the price was 25c higher. This, together with the boom in corn, set the provision pit agog, and May pork, which opened at $11.25, soon sold up to $12.55, reacted to the opening figure on realizing sales, but rallied to $12.55 against July touched $13.
11:30 a. m.—The bull fever did not spend itself till May wheat had sold up to $1.04½ and May corn to 69c. The former is now quoted at $1.04⅛, and the latter at 68⅝c, with both pits quiet.
CHICAGO, Ill., March 23, 1:15 p. m.—The closing prices on the Board of Trade to-day as quoted by the Daily Trade Bulletin are as follows: No. 2 wheat firm; cash, $1.02¼@¾; May, $1.04⅝ bid; July, $1.02⅞. No. 2 corn steady; cash, 67@½c; May, 68⅛@¼c; July, 67¼c. No. 2 oats easy; cash, 54c; May, 55@⅛c; June, 54¾c; July, 52¼c. Mess pork firm; cash, $12.50; May, $12.75; July, $13 20. Lard firm; cash, 6.70c; May, 6.85@87½c; July, 7.10c. No. 2 rye steady at 85c. No. 2 barley nominal at 76c. No. 1 flaxseed quiet at $1.19½. Prime timothy seed easy at $1.28@1.29. Butter steady. Eggs steady. Whisky steady at $1.16.
BUFFALO, March 23.—Wheat—No. 1 hard $1.21; No. 1 Northern, $1.16; No. 2 red, $1.08. Corn, No. 2, 75½c. Receipts—Wheat, 12,000 bu; corn, 50,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 17,000 bu; corn, 28,000 bu.
CINCINNATI, O., March 23.—Flour firmer. Wheat strong at $1.03½. Corn strong and higher, 72c. Oats stronger at 56c. Rye quiet at 94c. Pork excited and higher at $12. Lard strong and higher at 6.50c. Bulk meats stronger at 6.50c. Bacon strong and higher at 6.75c. Whisky firm; sales, 598 bbls on basis $1.16.
TOLEDO, O., March 23.—Wheat higher, active; cash, $1.05½; July, $1.01; Aug., 98c. Corn strong, dull; cash and May, 69c. Oats firm; cash and May, 54½c. Cloverseed firm; cash and March, $4.47½; April, $4.42½.
DETROIT, Mich., March 22.—Wheat—No. 1 white $1.03¼ asked; No. 2 red, cash, $1.05¾; May, $1.07⅝; July, $1.01⅝ bid; Aug., 98c. Corn—No. 2, cash, 70c; May, 69⅝c. Oats—No. 2, cash, 55c bid; No. 2 white, 56c bid. Receipts—Wheat, 25,700; corn, 3,500; oats, 4,600.
MILWAUKEE, March 23.—Wheat firm; No. 2 spring on track cash, 99c; May, 99⅛c; No. 1 Northern; $1.04. Corn firm; No. 3 on track, 57½c. Oats firmer; No. 2 white on track, 54½c.

### The Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., March 23.—Attendance fair; offerings of butter large; bidding easy, with indications of closing at 28@29c.

### Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, March 23.—Pork—demand improving; prime mess Western fine, 51s 3d, firm; do do medium, 4d 9d, firm. Lard is in poor demand; prices unchanged. Wheat—Demand improving; Kansas winter, 8s 3d, firm. Flour—Demand improving; prices unchanged. Corn—Demand fair for spot and active for futures; spot and March, 5s 9d, firm; April, 5s 9¼d, firm; May, 5s 9¼d firm. Receipts—Wheat for the past week from Atlantic ports, 1,200 qrs; Pacific ports, none; other sources, 27,000. Receipts of American corn, 23,400 qrs.
LIVERPOOL, March 23.—Beerbohm—Cargoes off coast, wheat turn dearer; maize, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage and for shipment wheat and maize turn dearer. Mark Lane—English and foreign wheat turn dearer; American and Danubian maize turn dearer; English and American flour improving. French country markets firm. Weather in England frosty. Liverpool wheat—Spot, upward tendency; No. 1 standard California wheat per cental, 8s 5d; Walla Walla wheat per cental, 8s ½d; American red Western winter wheat, average price per cental, 6s 2½d.
LIVERPOOL, 12:30 p. m.—Wheat strong and demand improving; supply poor. California No. 1, 8s 5d; Kansas winter, 8s 2½d@8s 3d. Corn firm and demand fair; mixed Western, 5s 9d.

### Oil and Petroleum.

CLEVELAND, March 23.—Petroleum quiet; S. W. 110, 6¾c; 74 gasoline, 8½c; 86 gasoline, 12c; 63 naphtha, 6½c.
PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—At noon petroleum was quoted at 71⅛.

## AMONG THE BROKERS.

### A Dull Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

The following quotations were made on call to-day:

| | BID. | ASK. | | ASK. | BID. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adams | 1 65 | ..... | Mex. Imp | ..... | ..... |
| American | ..... | ..... | Montrose | 80 | 82½ |
| Aztec | ..... | ..... | Mt. Key | ..... | ..... |
| Bi-Metal | ..... | ..... | Mt. Lion | ..... | ..... |
| Buckskin | ..... | ..... | M. Breen | 75 | 80 |
| Cent. Sil. | 5½ | ..... | Nellie | ..... | ..... |
| Cleveland | ..... | ..... | Old Colny | ..... | ..... |
| Civ. & Anh | ..... | ..... | Old Jesuit | ..... | ..... |
| Cœur d'A | ..... | ..... | P. Murphy | ..... | ..... |
| Gldn West | ..... | ..... | Richmond | ..... | ..... |
| Gold King | ..... | 11 | R. Hill | ..... | ..... |
| Granite M | 24 50 | 25 25 | S. Hopes | ..... | 90 |
| Hope | ..... | ..... | Silver Age | 1 95 | 2 00 |
| I. X. L | ..... | ..... | So. Queen | ..... | ..... |
| Ingram | ..... | ..... | Tourtel'e | ..... | ..... |
| Ivanhoe | ..... | ..... | Elizabeth | 1 95 | 2 05 |
| La Union | ..... | ..... | W. Patch | ..... | ..... |
| Little Alb | ..... | ..... | Yuma | 57½ | 62½ |
| Maj. Budd | ..... | ..... | | | |

Trading was inactive and few stocks were dealt in.

PITTSBURG'S OUTPUT.
PITTSBURG, Kan., March 23.—The zinc spelter output for the week ending March 21 was as follows:

| | Pounds. |
|---|---|
| R. Lanyon & Co | 175,000 |
| S. H. Lanyon & Bro | 96,700 |
| Granby Mining & Smelting Co | 96,800 |
| W. & J. Lanyon | 97,000 |
| Weir City Zinc Co | 145,000 |
| Total | 610,500 |

The coal output for the same period was 975 cars, aggregating 195,000 tons.

### HOTEL PERSONALS.

M. E. Sanford, Chicago; Jno. Nathan, New York; H. C. Stuart, Des Moines; S. J. Gilmore, Denver, and F. Burgess, Boston, are at the Southern.
C. A. Hughes, Rochester; J. E. Launez, Moberly; B. Brown, Kansas City, and N. M. Smith, McFall, Mo., are at the Laclede.
H. F. Emery, Sikeston, Mo.; J. P. Burnes, San Francisco; C. D. Hills, West Plains, and F. M. Simpson, Vienna, Ill., are at the Lindell.


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FINANCIAL.


NOTICE TO BUYERS OF BONDS.
The City of Hannibal wishes to sell $20,000 worth of Electric Light Bonds. Sealed proposals for the purchase thereof will be received at the office of the undersigned until noon Monday, April 6, 1891. The bonds bear 5 per cent interest, payable semi-annually at the City of Hannibal, and run 20 years, redeemable after 5 years at the option of the city. Each bid must be accompanied by a cash deposit or certified check of $200 as a guarantee of good faith. No bid less than par will be entertained. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Said bonds bear interest from March 15, 1891. Address the undersigned, Hannibal, Mo., indorsing on envelope, "Proposals for Bonds." For full particulars address same party. GEO. C. MOORE, City Clerk.

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## MONEY.

### New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Whitaker & Hodgman, successors to Matthews & Whitaker, bond and stock brokers, 300 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo.

ST. LOUIS, MO., March 23.

| STOCKS. | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 26⅜ | 27⅜ | 26⅛ | 27¼ |
| Canada Southern | 49⅜ | 50¼ | 49⅜ | 50¼ |
| Central New Jersey | 114⅝ | 115½ | 114⅝ | 115¼ |
| Chicago Gas Trust | 42½ | 43⅛ | 42½ | 43⅜ |
| C., C., C. & St. L | 60 | 60½ | 60 | 60⅜ |
| Chi., R. I. & P | 67 | 68⅛ | 66⅞ | 68⅛ |
| C., B. & Q | 78¼ | 79⅜ | 78⅛ | 79¼ |
| C., M. & St. P., com | 54⅜ | 55⅞ | 54⅞ | 55¾ |
| C., M. & St. P., pfd | 112 | 112½ | 112 | 112½ |
| C. & N. W., com | 104 | 104⅜ | 104 | 104⅜ |
| C. & N. W., pfd | | | | |
| Cotton Oil Trust, com | 28 | 28½ | 28 | 28½ |
| D., L. & W | 134⅝ | 135½ | 134⅝ | 135½ |
| Del. & Hudson | 133 | | | 133 |
| Denver & Rio Grande | | | | |
| E. Tennessee, com | | | | |
| Erie, com | 18⅛ | 18¼ | 18 | 18 |
| Erie, pfd | 51⅜ | | | 51⅜ |
| Hocking Valley | 25 | 25¾ | 25 | 25¾ |
| Illinois Central | 95½ | | | 95½ |
| Laclede Gas, com | 15½ | 16 | 15½ | 16 |
| Laclede Gas, pfd | | | | |
| Lake Erie & Western, com | | | | |
| Lake Erie & Western, pfd | | | | |
| Lake Shore | 109⅜ | | | 109⅜ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 73¾ | 74⅛ | 73¾ | 74 |
| Lead Trust | 18¼ | 18⅝ | 18 | 18⅛ |
| Michigan Central | | | | |
| Missouri Pacific | | | | |
| M., K. & T., com | | | | |
| M., K. & T., pfd | 67 | 67⅜ | 66⅝ | 67⅛ |
| Mobile & Ohio | 42 | 42⅜ | 41⅝ | 42⅜ |
| New York & New England | 34⅜ | 35 | 34⅜ | 35 |
| New York Central | 101⅛ | | | 101⅛ |
| Nor'k & Western, com | | | | |
| Nor'k & Western, pfd | | | | |
| North American | 17⅛ | 17⅜ | 17¼ | 17⅜ |
| Northern Pacific, com | 27 | 27⅛ | 27 | 27⅛ |
| Northern Pacific, pfd | 70 | 70⅜ | 69⅞ | 70⅜ |
| Oregon & Trans | | | | |
| Oregon Nav. & Trans | | | | |
| Ohio & Miss com | | | | |
| Pacific Mail | 37 | | | 37 |
| Philadelphia & Reading | 29⅝ | 30⅛ | 29½ | 30⅛ |
| Richmond Terminal | 17⅛ | 17⅜ | 17⅛ | 17⅜ |
| Silver | 98¾ | 99 | 98⅜ | 98¾ |
| Sugar Trust | | | | |
| Sugar com | 74⅞ | 76 | 74⅞ | 75⅝ |
| Sugar Trust pfd | 86 | | | 86 |
| St. L. & S. F. com | | | | |
| St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd | | | | |
| St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd | | | | |
| Texas & Pacific | | | | |
| Union Pacific | 44¼ | 45⅛ | 44¼ | 45 |
| W., St. L. & P., new | | | | |
| W., St. L. & P., pfd | 18⅜ | | | 18⅜ |
| Western Union Tel. Co | 80 | 80 | 79⅞ | 79⅞ |

### Wall Street.

NEW YORK, March 23, 11 a. m.—The stock market opened the new week with no change in the character of the trading but the tone was again firm though only about a half dozen stocks were active enough to show any fluctuation whatever. St. Paul, Burlington and Lackawanna were still the leading active stocks with some animation in Rock Island, Northern Pacific preferred and Ontario and Western. The opening prices were all slightly higher than those of Saturday's close and among the stocks mentioned still further gains were scored. These advances were partially lost but National cordage became rather active and remained strong throughout, advancing to above $1. The general list as usual of late was entirely without feature and at 11 o'clock the market dull and stagnant generally at small fractions better than opening prices.
Noon—Money is easy at 2½@3 per cent. The trading in the stock market subsided into the most extreme dullness again after 11 o'clock, and while the firm tone regained there was scarcely anywhere in the list any perceptible change in quotations. The dealings remained barren of feature throughout the hour, and at noon the market was still very dull and steady to firm at small fractions better than the opening prices. In regard to the improvement in the stock market this morning the "Post" says: There was no news or other special reason for these high prices except the change of sentiment. This change is probably due to the fact that people have begun to realize the unreasonableness of getting apprehensive about the exports of gold which are just as legitimate as the periodical movements of currency to the interior. This morning one of the large Exchange dealing houses received $100,000 in Spanish gold from Europe. Such movements of gold as those of the last month have been going on all the time for years and never attracted much attention. The export of the whole $37,000,000, sent out in May, June and July, 1889, did not excite one-tenth of the discussion and newspaper comment that the $2,775,000 sent out last week did."
BOSTON, Mass., March 23.—Mexican 4s, 70⅛@71⅛; stock, 18½@⅝; Allouez, 2¾; Atlantic, 15@16; Butte and Boston, 14¾; Boston and Montana, 41¾; Centennial 15½; Franklin, 15½; Kearsarge, 11½; Osceola, 36; Santa Fe, 50@55.

### Local Bonds.

Corrected daily by James Campbell, Broker, 307 Pine street.

| U. S. BONDS. | When due. | Interest Payable. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4½ ℔ cent bonds | 1891 | J. S. D. & M. | 102½ | 103 |
| 4 ℔ cent bonds | 1907 | J. A. J. & O. | 122½ | 123 |
| **ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.** | | | | |
| City 3-65 sterling | 1907 | June and Dec | 99½ | 100½ |
| City 4s sterling 10-20s | 1902 | May and Dec | 100 | 101 |
| City 4s sterling 10-20s | 1905 | June and Dec | 100 | 101 |
| City 5s | 1900 | Jan. and July | 105 | 106 |
| City 6s, gold | 1892—93 | Various | 101 | 102½ |
| City 6s, sterling | 1898 | June and Dec | 110 | 112 |
| City 6s, water | 1899 | June and Dec | 110 | 112 |
| City 6s, water | 1891 | April and Oct | 101 | 102 |
| City 6s, bridge approach | 1892 | June and Dec | 103 | 103 |
| County 6s, gold | 1895—98 | Jan. and July | 105 | 107 |
| County Park | 1905 | April and Oct | 119½ | 120 |
| **RAILWAY BONDS.** | | | | |
| Mo. Pac. consols | 1920 | May and Nov | 109 | 109½ |
| Mo. Pac. 3ds | 1906 | May and Nov | 114½ | 115 |
| No. Mo. 1st m 7s | 1895 | Jan. and July | 109 | 110 |
| K. P. 1st m 6s | 1895 | Feb. and Aug | 107½ | 108 |
| K. P. 1st m 6s | 1896 | June and Dec | 110 | 111 |
| K. P. D Ex. 6s | 1899 | May and Nov | 111½ | 112 |
| K. P. consols | 1919 | May and Nov | 110 | 111 |
| St. L., I. M. 1st 7s | 1892 | Feb. and Aug | 103 | 104 |

CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT.

| | |
|---|---|
| Clearances | $3,900,021 |
| Balances | 471,362 |

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### THREE STORMS ON.

**Signal Service Warnings of Storms Displayed in Texas—Falling Rivers.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—A storm of great severity has remained nearly stationary off the middle Atlantic coast, having moved slightly a short distance into the ocean this morning; another storm has moved east to Lake Michigan; a storm of considerable severity is developing in the plateau region.

The clearing condition has remained nearly stationary near Newfoundland; another clearclearing condition has remained nearly statoba.

Rain has fallen in the middle and North Atlantic States, the Lake Region and the Southwest and light snow in the Northwest. The temperature has fallen in the southwest and northwest, and has generally risen elsewhere.

Forecast till 8 a. m. to-morrow:

For Mississippi—Increasing cloudiness and rain slightly; warmer winds becoming southeasterly.

For Louisiana, Eastern Texas and Arkansas—Rain; slightly warmer; southern winds.

For Tennessee and Kentucky—Light rain; no change in temperature; variable winds.

For Ohio—Rain; cooler Tuesday; variable winds.

For Indiana and Illinois—Light rain, cooler winds becoming Northwest; fair and cooler Tuesday.

For Upper and Lower Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota—Clearing, colder Northwest winds, cold wave in Upper Michigan.

For Iowa and Nebraska—Rain, cooler Northern winds; warmer Tuesday.

For Missouri and Kansas—Increased cloudiness and light rain, no change in temperature, North winds.

For North and South Dakota—Generally fair, warmer; Tuesday, winds becoming southeast.

Cautionary signals are displayed at Galveston and Corpus Christi.

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### AN EX-SLAVE'S OFFER.

**Elliott Head Proposes to Give the Land for a Negro College in Georgia.**

ATLANTA, Ga., March 23.—Since Secretary Noble refused to pay Georgia's share of the Hatch fund until she had a college for negroes, the movement to establish one has been stimulated and Gov. Northen has established a Board of Control. The negroes of Savannah have offered $15,000 as a bonus if the college is established there. Those of Americus have offered $13,000, of Milledgeville $12,000, of Columbus $10,000. Elliott Head, exslave, 72 years old, who has amassed a fortune of $50,000, writes the following letter:

"On condition that the branch college for colored students is located at Americus, I agree to convey the following described real estate—which I value at $5,000—to the trustees of the university, reserving to myself a life estate in said property. The deed to be so framed as to preserve the corpus of the body, and the income to be used as a scholarship fund to educate the most needy and deserving colored students who may apply for admission to said college."

### BOOTH WILL NOT WRITE.

**The Great Actor Refuses $25,000 for the Story of His Life.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—Ever since the success of Joseph Jefferson's reminiscences Edwin Booth has been approached by not less than a dozen editors and publishers to write a book, but his answer has always been the same. A day or two ago a prominent publisher walked into the Players' club and seeing Booth sought an introduction. After a few moments talk the man of books got down to business and offered the actor $25,000 cash and a generous royalty if he would consent to write the story of his life, tell something about the people he has met, his views of players, male and female, and something about the stage of to-morrow and the qualifications necessary for actors thereon.

Mr. Booth, always taciturn, stiffly replied: "No, nor five times that sum wouldn't induce me to write a line of it. I shall never write a book. I detest writing. Sometimes I think I don't even like to act."

### ANOTHER SYMMES.

**What Nathan Childs Lost by His Devotion to an Idea—His Lonely Death.**

SCRANTON, Pa., March 23.—The dead body of old Nathan Childs was found last Wednesday in Thomas' Ravine, on the north side of Mount Wellington. He had been missing since Dec. 16, and it is thought he has been dead three months. The body was sitting upon a rock and slightly leaning back against another rock, with the old man's traveling pack at his left side, his cane at his feet and his spectacles fallen between his legs. He had evidently sat down to rest and died peacefully. The old man had for many years given himself up to solving the perpetual motion problem. His wife had left him on account of his devotion to that idea, and after living alone at the old homestead at Pine Hill, Wyoming County, until his money was exhausted, he took to peddling, refusing aid from his married children. He was 82 years old last November, a sturdy old fellow, and had always expressed a wish to die in harness.


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ALTONA, Ontario, March 23.—A detective who recently visited Victoria, British Columbia, states that he saw enough there to convince him that the Chinese were administering punishment under their own code. He learned of two cases where the Chinese beheaded two of their own colony for violating Chinese laws. This was done secretly. He says they cannot be convicted, as it is death for any of the Chinese to impart any information.


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### QUIET SIOUX.

**Indian Agent McLaughlin Says They Are Not Preparing for War—Indian Census.**

BISMARCK, N. D., March 23.—James McLaughlin of Standing Rock Agency, one of the oldest and best of Indian Agents, is in Bismarck, and in speaking of Indian affairs he said that if there was any trouble in the spring it would be with the Shoshones in Manitoba. The Sioux have not been disarmed, but they seem to be quiet, and while one class remains idle the other is busy farming and bent on agricultural pursuits. Mr. McLaughlin said he considered the recent reports from the Sioux Reservation greatly exaggerated.

THE INDIAN CENSUS.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., March 23.—The work of taking the census of the Navajos Indians began to-day. Thirteen enumerators are scattered through the reservation, and they will count not only the Indians but also their flocks and herds.

COMMISSIONER MORGAN'S ROW.

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Indian Commissioner Morgan was in this city yesterday and was asked if it was true that the President had demanded his resignation on account of his alleged discrimination against Roman Catholic Indian teachers. Mr. Morgan said he had not heard from the President on the subject. The matter arose, he said, from the failure of a Catholic Indian agent named Jennings to secure reappointment at Green Bay, Wis. A Mr. McKelsey was appointed in his place. A Catholic sister was insubordinate and remained away from school for several days without giving an explanation. She was dismissed. This is the only case the Commissioner knows of in that locality. He said he never made any distinction in the matter of selecting teachers. He did not believe the President would demand a resignation until a thorough investigation has been made.

### ST. LOUIS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.

**Annual Report of This Worthy Institution.**

The annual report of the St. Louis Children's Hospital has been published in pamphlet form and copies of it may be obtained from Mrs. Hugh McKittrick, the President, Misses Emmons and Bulkley, the Secretaries, or from any of the other officers. The hospital now has fifty-two children, and during the year ending Feb. 1, 124 were discharged, 108 of them being well and the other 16 much better than when admitted to the institution. There were thirty-six surgical cases and the operations performed were nearly all successful. The expenses of the hospital amounted to nearly $5,000, and the receipts, mostly donations, to $5,223. In addition to the money donations, a large quantity of provisions, clothing and supplies of all kinds was received from the friends of the institution. The hospital is located on Jefferson avenue and Adams street, and the treatment is homeopathic. The board of managers consists of Mesdames H. L. Newman, Geo. Castleman, C. D. McLure, J. L. Blair, Jas. N. Norris, Benj. S. Webster, J. K. Tiffany, H. S. Potter, B. B. Graham, H. A. Lloyd, W. B. Farr, John H. Louderman, Wells Blodgett, Louis McCall, E. A. DeWolf, Alex. Cochrane, Adolphus Busch, Web M. Samuel, Jacob Van Blarcom, John Whittaker and N. B. Day.

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### ABOUT TOWN.

DANIEL MURRAY, a carpenter living at 2721 DeKalb street, had his right leg broken while at work on the Terminal track. He was sent to the City Hospital.

SIX-YEAR-OLD Edward F. Godare was bitten in the right hand while playing with his dog at his home, 607 Rutger street, yesterday afternoon. Officer Wilson of the Central District shot the vicious animal.

IN a fight on Tenth street, between Morgan street and Lucas avenue, about 10:30 o'clock last night, Adele Clark, alias Sis Ford, cut Mary Morton in the right arm. Adele Clark was arrested by Officer O'Brien. Both women are colored.

TWENTY-FIVE feet of rubber hose, stolen on the 16th inst. from August Steinmeyer, Broadway and Capitol avenue, was recovered yesterday afternoon by Sergt. McMahon of the Second District, who found the property on board Theo. Heffinger's flatboat at the foot of Cherokee street. Heffinger, Henry Roeckle and Louis Ludwig have been arrested for the theft.

**E. H. Horner Charged With Fraud.**

NEW YORK, March 23.—E. H. Horner and two of his associates, Edmund Furst and Jacob Trube, have been arrested on a charge of fraud. They dealt in Austrian prize bonds Horner placing the bonds with these alleged bankers, who sold the bonds on time payments until the full amount was nearly paid. Then they would fail to deliver the bonds.


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